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WANTS.

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WANTED—A first-class book-keeper, none but a competent man need apply. Apply giving full particulars to Post Office box 56. may7-2t

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Chapter, No. 1236, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street, sojourning companions cordially invited. W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.
jel-tf

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de6 JAMES AULD, N.G.

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Christian Socialism.

In the course of a recent diocesan conference discussion, Christian Socialism was defined as "an attempt on the part of the state to compel all men to live according to the precepts of Christ." In commenting on this definition, Dr. Magee, Bishop of Peterborough, maintained that it was impossible for the state to carry out, in all its relations, literally, all the precepts of Christ, and that a state which attempted this could not exist for a week. He also held that if it were possible to do so the result would be a perfectly intolerable tyranny. For saying this he was assailed with considerable sharpness of language by more than one critic. In his reply the Bishop says that "screaming never proves anything, except that the screamer is in a passion." He then goes on to explain what he means by the state, and to show that his comment, so far from being un-Christian, was both reasonable and just. The state is that part of the nation that is empowered to speak and act on behalf of the rest—it is, in fact, a trustee. Its duty, therefore, is first to preserve its own existence; secondly, to resist, restrain, and, if needs be, destroy whatever or whomsoever assails its authority or attacks the interests committed to its charge. The idea of self-sacrifice, contained in the Sermon on the Mount, is, he argues, incompatible with those duties of trusteeship. The state has no right to part with what has been committed to its keeping. The individual may suffer the loss of all things, even of life. But the state has other duties. The church may do what it would be unlawful for the state. In her case the law of self-sacrifice is of binding force. The bishop's remarks caused considerable sensation in religious circles.

Her Bebel, the German Socialist, is a genuine workingman. He started as an ivory turner, and even now, when something displeases him in the establishment of Feslieb & Bebel, at Leipzig, of which he is a partner, he tucks up his sleeves and shows the obstinate or ignorant workman "how it should be done." Though he is a powerful speaker he is a very indifferent author, and this is the more surprising seeing that his speeches generally bristle with happy quotations, original thoughts and trenchant epigram.

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AMERICAN DISPATCHES,

THE CEREMONY OF ERECTING A STATUE OF GENERAL LEE.

An Interesting School Revolt—Jurymen Who Were Not Guided by Evidence—Rivers Rising in California—Senator Hearst Favors Battle Ships.

BOSTON, May 7.—It has transpired that the recent visit of Pres. Manvell, of the Atcheson, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway, to California combine business with pleasure, and the report is current that the Atcheson company has determined to extend the Atlantic and pacific controlled by it to San Francisco at a very early day. The Chronicle commenting on the report says: The Atcheson road is better situated than any other transcontinental road to complete its lines to this city, inasmuch as the only gap to be filled is that between Mojave and San Francisco which is neither long nor difficult. The enterprise shown by that company in building and operating the road in Southern California is a favorable indication and it certainly looks as though we might at least have one competing road.

Re-Opening of the Anaconda Mines.

BUTTE CITY, Montana, May 7.—It is currently reported that the Anaconda and St. Lawrence mines are to be reopened soon. In the opinion of competent miners the fire has been out for some time.

He Would Come to America.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The Herald correspondent cables from Rome: "I am in a position to say upon authority that when the Pope considered the question of abandoning Rome about a year ago he declared that if he had his choice he would select America as his home."

Fast Rising Waters.

PORTLAND, May 6.—The Columbia river is rising at the rate of an inch an hour, and the Willamette is rising rapidly from back water. Goods were removed from the lower wharves to-day, and the water is already over some of them. If the warm weather continues, much snow will be melted and run off, and there will be less danger of the June rise coming so high as has been feared.

Tabled.

ALBANY, May 7—The Assembly Bill for the abolition of the death penalty was considered in the Senate Judiciary Committee this afternoon, and a motion to table it was passed by a vote of seven to two.

Water Rising.

STOCKTON, May 7.—Late last night men were sent here from Union Island to get a lot of shovels and wheelbarrows which are to be used in strengthening the levee. The water is now within three and a half inches of the highest point ever reached at this island. If the weather becomes warmer and raises the Sacramento river so as to increase the back water Union Island will be in great danger.

A Sixfold Tragedy.

WESTCHESTER, Pa., May 7.—Willie and Clara Fitzpatrick, aged 8 and 6 years respectively, were killed and two other children perhaps fatally injured by being thrown from a carriage to-day. Mr. Fitzpatrick had just placed the children in the carriage, when the horses ran away. Fitzpatrick was dragged a long distance and badly hurt. Mrs. Fitzpatrick was driven insane by the tragedy.

Women to be Admitted.

BALTIMORE, May 7.—Through the efforts of Miss Mary Garret and other influential ladies of this city, a movement has been inaugurated looking to the admission of women to the John Hopkins university school of medicine. They have offered $100,000 to the trustees on condition that they receive women on the same footing as men, provided they have had the necessary training and medical education required of the other sex.

LEE'S STATUTE.

Ceremony of Erecting It—Largest Military Procession Since Sherman's March.

RICHMOND, May 7.—The Lee statute has been put, in parts, on four trucks which will be drawn through the streets to-morrow. Four ropes, each two hundred feet long, are attached to each truck. One of them will be grasped by vetrans, another by the sons of veterans, the next by simple citizens, and the other by ladies. The statue will thus be hauled to its site. For one of the boxes holding the statute $250 has been offered. Relic hunters have been incessantly trying to cut off pieces of them at the depot. They may be made into a set of furniture, which will be auctioned off. At 5 o'clock to-morrow evening the statue will be moved to the monument pedestal. It will take fourteen days to place the statue on the monument. Horse and rider are in eight pieces and the parts will be riveted together after they are placed on the pedestal. Troops will be here from all parts of the South at the unveiling. It is estimated that the military procession on the 29th will be the largest seen in the South since Sherman's march through it.

REMARKABLE VERDICT.

A Coroner's Jury Ignores the Evidence of Credible Witnesses.

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 7.—The inquest over the body of Willie Leaphart, a negro who was lynched at Lexington on Monday was held to-day. The testimony of Sheriff Drafts and his wife went to show that five citizens of Lexington, among others, were implicated in the lynching, and that one of them led the mob. After retiring for fifteen minutes the jury returned the startling verdict that Leaphart came to his death by gunshot wounds at the hands of parties unknown. Solicitor Nelson, who conducted the examination of witnesses, was completely thunderstruck at this verdict in which the testimony was utterly disregarded. He will place the matter before the grand jury and sift it to the bottom. Governor Richardson made public affidavits upon which he had respited Leaphart. One of the affidavits is made by the United States Deputy Marshal Miller, in which he alleges that "After trial and conviction of said Willie Leaphart, said Charlie Cannon, brother of Miss Rosa Cannon, stated to deponent in presence of other witnesses, that he did not believe Willie Leaphart raped his sister, and that he believed that she had been persuaded by certain persons to state that the negro had committed a rape in order to convict him." Charlie Cannon also makes affidavit that his sister "told him privately that she was not raped or injured." There are also two letters from Miss Cannon to her mother in which she says "He never hurt me any only my throat is a little sore. He never tried to do anything except to keep me from hollering."

SCHOOL REVOLT.

Bad Boy Scholars Defy Their Teacher and Create a Big Row.

HARRISBURG, May 7.—A lack of discipline and poor management at the Whitehill soldiers' orphans' school, thirteen miles south of this city, led to a serious rebellion among the scholars. A boy named Wolfe took offense at principal Kline, who had punished his sweetheart, also a scholar, and he assaulted Kline. When manager Thomas interfered Wolfe threatened to stab him. This led to Wolfe's arrest, and incarceration in Carlisle jail from which he was released on bail to-day. Kline was arrested on a counter charge of assault, but was at once bailed out. Soon after a crowd of boys rebelled on the ground that they were not given sufficient liberty, and they completely demoralized the school. Last Thursday night four boys led by a bad boy named Lippey revolted during prayers. When a hymn was started they refused to sing, and when manager Thomas prayed both boys and girls stamped their feet. The girls were ordered to their rooms, and while they were going out the boys bombarded the teachers with heavy inkstands, cutting one's temple and inflicting other injuries. The same night four of the boys fell upon a male teacher and assaulted him. Lippy and his three pals were locked up and on Saturday Governor Beaven and Capt Boyer went to the school to investigate. The four prisoners were defiant and impudent, and encouraged the boys from their window to acts of insubordination. Inspector Grier was sent for and arrived last Sunday morning going direct to the school, but he could do nothing with the ringleaders, who refused to be penitent, and who defied him. They were put on bread and water diet, and when Inspector Grier made another visit he found the boys in a better frame of mind, and released them. There is no complaint of the food, clothing or attendance. The breaking up of the school is probable.

Speed of the Gulf Stream.

Three miles is about the average velocity of the Gulf Stream, though at places it attains as high a speed as 5.4 miles per hour. As it passes through the Yucatan Channel, which is 90 miles wide, and over 1000 fathoms deep, the current does not flow at a higher rate than one-fourth of a mile an hour; but in the narrower Straits of Bemini it has a velocity of from four to five miles, a breadth of 50 miles, and an average depth of 350 fathoms. This velocity decreases as we go north, until at New York its speed is not more than two and a half knots, while three miles to the east the velocity of the Stream, which has constantly been spreading out fan-shape, is scarcely perceptible. Its speed, as a rule is greater in its axis than along its edges. Yet the current, though slow in the Atlantic, is not lost; but its heat is rapidly eliminated. At Newfoundland it is 320 miles wide, though still warm enough to cause fogs when it meets with the cold current from the north. From this point it heads across the Atlantic, widening out, cooling, and losing velocity until in lat. 47 degs. N., long. 25 degs. W., it is 800 miles wide. Here it divides. One of the two branches flows to the north-east along the coast of Ireland, Scotland and Norway, impinges on southern Iceland, and extends around the North Cape into the Kara Sea, where its influence is still felt, and its speed, though reduced to barely 100 yards an hour, is sufficient to land the seeds and fruits of tropical plants on the low shores past which it creeps. A small branch deflected from it, and, as it were, sucked in by the cold current which sweeps along the east coast past Cape Farewell, is felt for some distance along the western shore of Greenland, on which also the seeds of West Indian plants and other tropical debris have been thrown.

Surprising Statistics.

During the year 1889 nearly 17,000 different books were printed in Germany. According to the popular impression it would be expected that France or England would, as respects the number of books published, rank second to the German Empire and with closely approximating figures. As a matter of fact, however, statistics reveal the surprising truth that Italy is second; and a distant second, with 10,863 publications. Even more astonishing is the fact that Russia, exclusive of Finland, is third, with 7,427 publications. England is fourth, with 6,591. The United States shows only 4,631. From these statistics it is seen that Germany's record is nearly equal to those of Italy and Russia combined, and also nearly equal to the combined records of the United States, England and Russia. Many, indeed nearly a majority, of the German books published during the year were directly educational, a statement which may be explained by the fact that every professor or man of letters in Teutonia is expected to publish a book at least as often as once in four years.—N. Y. Ledger.

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HOME AND FOREIGN.

SEPARATION OF QUEBEC FROM CANADA.

A Bold Proposition to Form a French Colony or Annex to the United States—Burning of an Insane Asylum with over 150 Inmates.

The Emperor Frightened.

SHANGHAI, May 7.—The Emperor is in constant dread of assassination by poison. Every article of food is tasted by a courtier before he touches it. It was rumored a few weeks ago that he was dead, and much excitement prevailed. There was some grounds for the rumor. A cup of white rose tea provided for the emperor was tasted by a favorite courtier, son of a Manchu military officer, and a few hours afterwards the boy died in great agony, and with all the symptoms of poisoning. The emperor's terror was increased a hundred-fold by this incident, and he fell sick probably from sheer freight.

Honoring Stanley.

LONDON, May, 6.—The Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh, the Duke of Cambridge, the Duke and Duchess of Teck, Prince and Princess Hohenlohe, the Duke of Fife, the Duke of Argyle, the Compte de Paris, and a brilliant assemblage of leaders of all classes, were in attendance at the reception given Henry M. Stanley by the Royal Geographical Society in Albert Hall to-night. The triumphant procession, headed by the Prince of Wales and other royalties, led Stanley and his colleagues into the hall, which was packed. As they entered, the assemblage arose en masse and applauded the explorer. The president of the society welcomed Stanley and his companions, and presented them with medals. Stanley thanked the Society on behalf of himself and colleagues, and proceeded to narrate his adventures in Africa, assisted by a huge chart upon which he traced his route.

An Asylum Destroyed.

MONTREAL, May 7.—The Longue Pointe Catholic Asylum was destroyed by fire to-day. Over 150 female patients and four nuns were burnt to death. The inmates numbered 1000, and as the books are destroyed, the loss of life cannot be ascertained.

David's Proposal.

MONTREAL, May 7.—L. O. David, member of Parliament for Montreal, who has been appointed high sheriff of Montreal, suggests the separation of Quebec from the rest of the Dominion and the formation of a new French Colony on the banks of the St. Lawrence, or else the annexation of Quebec to the United States.

MASSACRED BY SAVAGES.

The Fate of Thirty Shipwrecked Sailors on a New Hebrides Island.

The news comes from Sydney that a vessel recently ran aground at Mallicolo, the second largest island in the New Hebrides group, and that thirty men who struggled ashore from the wreck were massacred to a man by the natives. This little island, containing about 1,200 miles, was only two or three years ago occupied by a French garrison, whose purpose was to protect traders from the inhospitality of the natives. But these savage Papuans cannot forget their old wrongs, and have improved their first opportunity to wreck vengeance upon helpless sailors who were cast upon their shores.

Mr. Kerby Nicholles and other travellers among these islands have testified that the natives of New Hebrides are friendly and hospitable when well treated. But those savages have suffered outrageously from the crimes of labor recruiting ships, by which, in the days before the great evil was suppressed with a stern hand, they were torn from their homes by hundreds to toil as slaves on the plantations of other islands or in Queensland.

It is only a few years since the captain of the schooner Venus landed on the very island where the recent tragedy occurred and enticed ninety natives into the hold of his vessel on the pretense that he wished them to move an iron tank. When he got them below, the hatches were simply clapped on them, and the captain sailed away. On another occasion, nine men who had been dragged away from this island and taken to a plantation in another part of the group, stole a boat and rowed eighty miles on the open sea back to their homes. Guided apparently by the sun, they reached their native island in safety.

The world will not judge these islanders too harshly, for their wrongs have been great, and that they are capable of attaining some measure of civilization is shown by the fact that among the islands of the group where missionaries have long been stationed, about 9,000 natives have professed Christianity, while 20,000 of these former cannibals have given up the grossest practices of savagery.

A poor tailor, being released from a troublesome world and a scolding wife, went to the gate of Paradise. Peter asked him if he had been in Purgatory. "No," said the tailor, "but I have been married."

"Oh," said Peter, "that is all the same."

The tailor had scarce got in before a fat, turtle-eating alderman came puffing and blowing. "Hallo, you fellow," said he, "open the door."

"Not so fast," said Peter, "have you been in Purgatory?"

"No," said the alderman, "but what is that to the purpose? You let in that half-starved tailor, and had been no more in Purgatory than I."

"But he has been married," said Peter.

"Married!" exclaimed the alderman; "why I have been married twice."

"Then pray go back again," said Peter, "Paradise is not the place for fools."

GAMBLING.

How It is Carried on in England—Fortunes Staked on Horse Racing.

The committee of the English Sunday-school Union has offered a prize of $500 for the best tale on gambling, which is to be drawn, so far as possible, from actual life and to depict vividly the evil effects of the practice. Some curious stories of gambling are told by "Ellangowan" in a book just issued, "Sporting Anecdotes," but they are hardly of the Sunday-school variety. One of them describes the careers of three men born in the same parish. The first two were gentlemen's sons, and of these one eventually earned $2,000 a year at the bar and by literature, while the other became a hard-working city clergyman, at $1,635. The third was the son of a groom and a housemaid who had been servants to the parents of the first and second, and he made $10,000 a year as a jockey. Only last May a man handed a ten-pound note, as he thought, to a book-maker to bet on a certain horse, and his state of mind may be imagined when, after the horse won, he discovered that he had accidentally bet a thousand-pound note instead of a "tenner," and had won $60,000 instead of $600. One book-maker, who used to make a $500,000 book on the Derby, began life as a carpenter; and another, who was able to lose money by the hundred thousand dollars, was originally boots at a small hotel. The basis of his fortune was a Bank of England note for twenty pounds which he found pasted over a broken pane in the cottage of a laborer who was ignorant of its value, and which he bought for one shilling. Crockford, who kept the famous gambling establishment in London, was worth more than $2,000,000 when he died. There is a legend that his death occurred on the evening before the Princess won the Oaks in 1844, and that his friends kept the occurrence a secret, because his death rendered void large bets in which they were interested. To prevent any suspicion of the truth, the the body was dressed in his clothes and propped in a chair at his favorite window, where it could be seen by returning race-goers. This heartless deception was very profitable to them. Another Crockford's story is of a gambler named Scrope Davies who won a young man's entire fortune and then released it, touched by his victim's despair. Some years afterward, when Davies was in dire necessity, he wrote to the young man: "You begged me, should I ever want a friend, to come to you, as you considered all you possessed belonged as much to me as to yourself. Without taking such an exaggerated view of your obligations, I now ask you for some assistance to enable me to weather the storm." The young man had in the meantime married, and grown rich. He returned the following note: "Mr. H. regrets that he is unable to offer Mr. Scrope Davies any assistance." Regarding large sums lost and won, "Ellangowan" records that Lord Robert Spencer won $500,000, and then stopped gambling forever. At Brookes' a man who had made a large fortune in India lost $450,000 in a single night, soon after his return to England. George Hartley Drummond lost $100,000 at a sitting to Beau Brummel, and was in consequence requested to retire from his partnership in Drummond's Bank, although this was the only time he ever gambled in his life. The records of the Cocoa Tree Club tell of a famous throw at dice which meant the winning or losing of $900,000. "Ellangowan" says, with regard to modern gambling, that more money is staked in a single night in the Oriental Club at Constantinople than changes hands in half a week in any club in London; that the play at the Jockey Club in the City of Mexico is heavier than in London; and that there are fifty places where gambling goes on in New York for every ten in London.

A Valley Filled with Pearls.

According to the Chicago Tribune, Ephraim Baker, one of the oldest residents of Kansas and for a quarter of a century a citizen of Topeka, reports a discovery which surpasses the fables of ancient and stories of modern wealth. He lives in a comfortable home in Topeka during the winter and as soon as spring breaks dons a rough suit and, with a prospector's outfit, moves out across the plains towards the sunset, to be seen no more until the snow flies.

Some days ago Mr. Baker displayed to a few friends a bottle filled with pearls of various colors, shapes and sizes. Some are pure white, others a delicate shade of green, some have a tint of blue and others are of the rarest variety of all—black. The forms are perfectly round, oblong, elliptical, etc. They vary from the size of a pin head to that of a hazel-nut. The most astonishing part of Mr. Baker's story, however, relates to the quantity of these gems, which almost surpasses belief. He says he found them on the western slopes of what was once a great sea. As the foothills of the Rocky Mountains extend down to Ellsworth and Belleville in Kansas a rough guess at the location of these ancient pearl fisheries would be just beyond the Smoky Hill and the Arkansas Valleys. Somewhere in that treeless region Mr. Baker says there is one hundred miles of old river bed whose sands are literally filled with pearls. Turn up a spadeful of soil where you will and there rolls from it a stream of tiny globules which would enrich the collection of the Shah of Persia. Whether Mr. Baker will ever conclude to reveal the site of the "valley of pearls" he does not now know, but he will visit it again this spring.

The People Warned.

Many people are deceived into neglecting bad blood, dyspepsia, constipation, etc., and thus allow these and other diseases to become established. Act promptly by using Burdock Blood Bitters, purifying tonic, Burdock Blood Bitters which regulates the entire system, curing all diseases of the stomach, liver and bowels.

THE V. S. AND N. W.

President De Cosmos Says the Company Will Prosecute the Work.

Mr. Amor De Cosmos, President of the Provincial Board of the Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway, was seen by Truth at the Colonial Hotel, and stated that it was the intention of his company to prosecute the work of construction on the line as fast as possible. The city of Victoria will take up $300,000 of the company's bonds, or at least guarantee the interest on that amount at four per cent. They intend placing a fast ferry on to haul passengers and freight across the gulf from North Saanich to the Mainland terminus, and make the trip from Victoria to Westminster in two hours and 37 minutes, including stoppages. Mr. DeCosmos said it was not definitely settled upon which side of the Fraser River the road would run, but if this city gave them any adequate encouragement it would come here via Lulu Island.

"Then it is the company's intention to ask the city for a bonus?" the reporter asked.

"No, I cannot say that for a fact," replied Mr. De Cosmos. "The question arises, will this city give a bonus? Do the people feel friendly enough towards the line to assist us in giving them cheap, rapid and easy communication with the provincial capital? Would the city purchase stock in the company, or guarantee interest on some if we sold it elsewhere? The forty miles of railway which would have to be built could be constructed comparatively cheaply, as there are no heavy grades to overcome, and but ten streams of any importance to bridge. Mr. De Cosmos said he was not a prophet, and consequently could not give any very definite idea as to when the road would be completed, or even started beyond the preliminary surveys already made. However, he said, there would be some parties in New Westminster in a day or two to talk the matter over with our prominent men and officials, and see what can be done in the matter of bringing the road to this place.

EMIGRATION TO CANADA.

Distinctly Superior Class This Year—Wealthy Emigrants for British Columbia.

The Canadian emigration season practically opens this week, says the Canadian Gazette of the 17th April, with the departure of various steamers direct for the St. Lawrence; and the inquiries we have made in the best informed circles in various parts of the kingdom would seem to show that unsatisfactory as was last season's emigration in point of numbers, the record this season is not likely to show any material improvement, even if a decided decrease is not experienced. In point of quality, the emigration of this season, like that of last year, bids fair to be all that could be desired.

First a word as to the emigration with which the season is opening. A considerable number of emigrants of a distinctly superior class have already left for the Dominion. Included in these are several large parties from Lancashire who are destined for British Columbia, a number of whom are out to live upon their means, while one particular party takes upwards of $100,000 in cash. Those leaving Liverpool today include a good party accompanied by the Rev. Mr. Bridger, and a party of seventy souls under the charge of Mr. J. E. Cracknell, of the Canadian Co-Operative Colonization Company, and Mrs. Cracknell. This latter party, which is composed of agriculturists from various parts of England and Scotland, are proceeding direct to Lord Brassey's farm of 30,000 acres near Indian Head, where Professor Tanner has already made provisions for their reception. Wages will be given to the immigrants immediately upon their arrival, and a free homestead of 160 acres will be secured for each family, with a view to settlement upon it after a year's experience as workers upon the main farm. The advances now being made to the emigrants will form a lien upon these homesteads, and it is hoped thus to inaugurate a system which will prove a great advantage to bona fide agriculturists desiring to settle in the Northwest, and at the same time provide for the efficient development of Lord Brassey's parish property. The Sardenian, by which these two parties leave, takes a full complement of passengers—100 saloon and 900 steerage,—but it is doubted whether there will be another such full ship during the season. Happily latest reports from Quebec indicate the early opening of navigation on account of the mild weather, and emigrants will therefore be able to reach their destinations speedily.

Speaking generally, emigration to Canada so far has been of only moderate vulume, the decrease being marked in both of the classes which always constitute the bulk of the emigrants, viz., farmers and farm laborers. Especially in Scotland has the season thus far proved disappointing. The causes of this are probably much the same as have operated in the United Kingdom generally—the continued good trade and the high rate of wages prevalent at home. Agricultural prospects, too, have greatly improved, especially in the northern counties, and this naturally tends to keep at home many of that most desirable class which would otherwise furnish contingents of emigrants. Our inquiries in various parts of Scotland as well as of England would however, go to show that whatever emigration there has been, is of a very good character consisting of farmers, farm and domestic servants, and others with more or less capital, who should make excellent settlers. What therefore is lacking in quantity is to some extent compensated for by the improved quality.

As for the prospects for the rest of the season, accounts somewhat differ; though all agree that the season of 1890 is not likely even to equal that of 1889. One correspondent says, "From present prospects, the movement which may take place during the next two or three weeks will not be continued throughout the season.' "So far as I am able to judge," says another, "the outlook is fairly bright." "Unless," says a third, the present state of affairs changes, the prospects of a large emigration are, I fear, not very bright. There will, of course, always be that class of people who leave home when in prosperity so that they make a comfortable start in Canada, instead of waiting until compelled to do so, as is the case with so many. But a large flow of emigration cannot be anticipated this season though the quality will probably be kept up as compared with former years." Other correspondents write from various parts of the three kingdoms in the same strain.

This then is the general expectation for the emigration to Canada during 1890—no more emigrants even in 1889, though of equally good if not better quality. Considering how little encouragement Canadian emigration effort received during the winter months, when of course the seed must be sown if a harvest is to be reaped, this result is not surprising. We rejoice to note that public opinion is at last being aroused in Canada to the necessity of a more definite and systematic endeavor to promote the settlement of vacant sections of the Dominion, and we shall next week seek to give utterance to the general feeling of those best qualified to judge as to the direction this increased effort should take.

A MARVEL OF HYNOTISM.

Under Its Spell Paralysis Is Transferred and Cured.

PARIS, May 5.—An experiment recently made at the hospital of La Charite in this city has demonstrated the usefulness of hypnotism in a new and unexpected manner. The treatment consisted in the transference of paralysis from one girl to another patient named Leontine, and the process was as follows:

Marie, quite awake, was seated on a chair by the side of Leontine and the right hand of the latter was on the paralyzed right hand of the former. Dr. Luys threw Leontine into a lethargic state. Then, taking a large magnet of five branches, held it at first above the hands, placed one on the other, and then moved it along the arm as far as the shoulder. This was continued for about two minutes. It was sufficient to produce a fibrillary movement in the fingers and twitchings in the left leg and Marie then retired and Leontine passed from a lethargy into catalepsy. In this state Leontine complained of that her right arm and leg were paralyzed, which was the case. Dr. Luys then suggested to Leontine to wake and not feel anything of the paralysis. On waking she did so, and the paralysis had disappeared. The same experiment was repeated on the same day, and after two more treatments Marie was cured.

The official report of the case says: "During the fourth experiment the hitherto paralyzed hand of Marie displaced by pressure a force equal to the weight of twelve kilogrammes. Four days after this the force rose to the weight of fifteen kilogrammes. At the same time the left hand had gone up from twelve kilogrammes to fifteen. The sensitive and motor functions of the two limbs being restored, the patient soon left the hospital."

A SUGGESTION THAT WILL NOT TAKE.

TO THE EDITOR.—I am credibly informed that the Messrs. Prior and Barnard, M.P., on their return from Ottawa, and while here said that they had experienced great inconvenience and were very much handicapped when, having to come in contact with eastern members who were lawyers, from the fact that they themselves were entirely ignorant of the law, and that they strongly recommended that a lawyer be sent from British Columbia to be able to combat this deficiency. Now, which of those gentlemen, Mr. Editor, is prepared to sacrifice himself by stepping down and out, so that Victoria's interests may not be any longer jeopardised? I think that is a question that all you that have truly the welfare of your beautiful city at heart must take up and consider in the near "by and bye." Yours truly and sincerely,

JAMES CODVILLE.

Vancouver, May 6, 1890.

"Miss" or "Madam."

A Washington avenue storekeeper says: "I have instructed all my clerks to address all customers as 'madam.' I had to issue an order of some kind. A woman came here the other day; one of my clerks addressed her as 'Miss.' Now, you wouldn't suppose that any woman would take affront at that, would you? Well, the customer to whom I refer did, and I had to leave my desk and go to the clerk and speak to him in a manner that I was ashamed of after, just to please the woman. One of my saleswomen, a few days before, had addressed a young woman as 'madam,' and that raised a row. The young woman fairly screamed and made all sorts of threats. So I issued an order that 'madam' should be applied indiscriminately to all women who come to my store."—Dry Goods Chronicle.

A Warning.

MR. EDITOR.—It is a well-known fact that the majority of people are inclined to look upon a cold in the head as a matter of little importance—involving at the most only a temporary inconvenience. No more disastrous mistake was ever made. The neglected cold in the head is the source of the catarrhal affections with which about seven-tenths of the people of this country are afflicted, and catarrh itself is too often the preliminary stages to consumption and death. The symptoms of catarrh are manifold, but among them may be mentioned, offensive breath; dull, oppressive headache; offensive droppings from the nostrils into the throat and bronchial tubes; deafness or partial deafness; constant hawking and spitting; weak and watery eyes; a hacking cough and feeling of general debility; ringing in the ears and frequent dizziness. These are but a few of the more general symptoms, and those who experience them should lose no time in applying a remedy. Delays are proverbially dangerous, and in the case of this too prevalent disease may lead to death. We offer Nasal Balm to the public as a positive cure for cold in the head and for catarrh in all its forms and stages. Nasal Balm has been tested in thousands of cases, and the testimonials in our possession prove that it is all we claim for it. It has cured other sufferers, it will cure you. It is easy to use, pleasant and agreeable and does not require a douche, or any torturing instrument to apply it. Give it a trial and be convinced of its great efficacy. Sold by all dealers or sent post free on receipt of price 50c. for small or $1 for large size bottles by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont. daw

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City Hall, May 5, 1890. m75

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RALPH SALMON.

DECEASED, INTESTATE.

ANY PERSONS HAVING ANY claims against the above estate are requested to send the same at once to the undersigned as the estate will be distributed on the 15th day of May, 1890. All claims not sent in by that date will be barred.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Administrator.

Dated, 24th April, 1890. ap24-td

NOTICE.

F. H. ROBSON, of KAMLOOPS.

IN LIQUIDATION.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the above estate are requested to send the same to the office of

R. P. RITHET & CO., Wharf St., Victoria, duly sworn to before a Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, on or before 31st day of May, 1890.

R. P. RITHET,
Assignee of the Estate.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Part of Subdivision Lot 5 and another part (2 acres) of Section XXXII Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of INDEFEASIBLE TITLE to the above lands will be issued to George Thomson on the 10th day of July, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 10th April, 1890. ap10-4m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 23 in the City of Victoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall register the above lot in the name of Robert Purvis McLennan and Edward John McNally as owners, in fee, as tenants in common, in pursuance of an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made on the 29th day of March 1890, by the Hon. Mr. Justice Drake, unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within three months from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office
Victoria, 2nd April, 1890. ap2-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 428, 881, 882, 883, 888, and 889 in the City of Victoria.

CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above lots will be issued to Thomas Alsop on the 14th day of May, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lots, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria,
12th February, 1890. feb12-3m

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Part of Section 20 Range VIII, Quamichan District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE TITLE in a portion of the above mentioned section will be issued to Henry Fry, junior, on the 16th day of July, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in such portion of said section or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 16th April 1890. ap16-3m

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FAVORS BATTLE SHIPS.

Why Senator Hearst of California Prefers Them.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The Herald's Washington correspondent says: "Senator Hearst, of California, favors the construction of both battle ships and land fortifications too." "I prefer battle ships," said the Senator last night, "because the former can get out and meet the enemy before he gets in range, while the latter are useless until he comes within reach. Modern armed vessels could reduce San Francisco to rubbish in a little time. It would not be necessary for a hostile vessel to come through the Golden Gate. It could stay outside in the Pacific ocean, and throw shells right into the city. Battle ships could prevent this and I am in favor of having them. I think there should be two stationed in and about San Francisco at all times, in case of need and peril, and perhaps another at Puget Sound to protect the cities on that body of water. The foe may come when we shall regret the false economy that prevented them from being built. I think it would be money well expended, and the sooner this is done the better."

OFF TO THE SEAL ISLANDS.

The Arago Sails to Alaska for the New Lessees.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—The steamer Arago, which has been chartered by the North American Commercial Company to run to St. Paul and St. George islands, sailed for the north to-day. She has been taking on stores at the Mission street wharf for the past two weeks, and went out equipped with everything necessary for the campaign against the fur-bearing seals. She is expected to return to this port during the first week in August with 60,000 skins.

Superintendent Tingle, of the North American Commercial, has charge of the expedition, and will receive for the company the property to be turned over to it by the Alaska company. Professor Elliott, accompanied by his wife and two children, went with the expedition in the interest of the Smithsonian Institution. He expects to collect some valuable specimens. Miss Tingle, daughter of the superintendent, and Mrs. Dr. Luts, wife of the physician at the islands, and fifteen men were aboard of the Arago.

THE M'GREEVY SCANDAL.

More Corruption Coming to Light—The Globe Gives Its Opinion on the Matter.

QUEBEC, May 2.—The McGreevy scandal has not yet reached its full developments. The declarations of O. E. Murphy and of Robert McGreevy are incomplete as published here. Whole paragraphs have been omitted and it is no longer doubted that the suppressed parts relate to McGreevy's transactions with Sir Hector Langevin. If the Minister of Public Works had not been a party to the transactions how could McGreevy have known beforehand the amount of the different tenders. He could not have raised the 800,000 yards dredging contract from 27 to 35 cents a yard. Only the minister in person could have done this. These arguments are confirmed to a very great extent by Thomas McGreevy himself. He is said to have stated that all the sums placed in his hands were paid over to Ministers of the Crown, and that he has in his possession receipts that will prove the truth of his statement. The condition of the Tory party in this section of the country would be intensely ludicrous if the revelations made were not so disgraceful. The Langevin and the McGreevy wings are denouncing each other in the most abusive terms, and seem bent upon their own destruction. It was rumoured to-day that Tarte would be arrested to-morrow at the instance of McGreevy. Your correspondent has not been able to discover whether the rumor is true, but it is certain that proceedings of some kind will be taken immediately. The local press is full of rumors. All the papers, with the exception of the Chronicle and Courier du Canada, have published or will publish the declarations.

TORONTO, May 2.—The Globe, discussing the McGreevy scandal, says: "No thoughtful Canadian citizen, no one concerned for the reputation of his country, no one zealous for a sound political morality will rejoice in the deplorable charges made in connection with the Quebec harbor works. It may be that these astounding revelations are necessary to force heroic treatment of the foul disease which is eating out the public morals of Canada. But the remedy is come; cruel hurt is done to the name of Canada. In the light of these wretched exposures the moral tone of her people seems to a level that ought not to be accepted for an hour by a well living and well doing community. It is a melancholy fact that the deliberate policy of Sir John Macdonald since his humiliating fall through the terrible Pacific scandal exposures has been to degrade public sentiments to the level of the politicians who were involved in that great infamy, and who could not rise again, except through the degradation of the electorate." No other Toronto paper has so far mentioned the McGreevy matter or published more than a few words touching it.

War Against the Swallowtail.

A newspaper and governmental campaign against dress suits is in progress in Japan. Of late years the orthodox evening dress of the men of the Caucasian world had gained great popularity in the high society of the Japanese empire, and it had become customary to write on all invitation cards the word "Enbizukuchakuyo," that is, "Wear your dress suit." Some of the old-fashioned Japanese, who were in the swim long before the customs of Caucasian society penetrated to the interior, began a short time ago to object to this kind of thing. The Choya, a Japanese periodical, took up their cause. It argued at considerable length that the Japanese figure was too dumpy, and the Japanese legs too short to look well under swallowtails. These arguments seem to have had great weight with the government, for it has decided to recall the order requiring all persons present at the opening of the Parliament next summer to wear dress suits.

Arrived.

Best XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

FALLING LEAVES.

They are dropping, slowly dropping—
Embers from the flaming trees—
All their raiment and splendor,
Kindled by the spectral number
And the wayward breeze.

They are coming, swiftly coming—
Amber, amethyst and pearl—
With the fire of nature riven,
Tempest tossed and madly driven,
Flashing home back to heaven
In their giddy whirl.

They are flitting—gayly flitting—
Fledglings of autumnal light—
From their lofty perches straying,
With each passing zephyr playing,
Rough and lush the course delaying
Of their final flight.

They are hovering—gently hovering—
Over vale and rugged steep,
Covering o'er the blossom spaces
Which the early frost defaces
Mantling tenderly the places
Where our loved ones sleep.

Yes, they've falling—sadly falling—
Russet, crimson, gold and gray—
Beauteous millions headlong flying,
With the wind's discordant sighing,
At our feet ignoble lying,
Waiting dread decay

They are teaching—fitly teaching—
That which gladdens—that which grieves;
There is naught of earth abiding,
But, behind all nature hiding,
Is a hand our footsteps guiding
And the falling leaves.

—N. W. Rand in Springfield Union.

Pretty Finger Nails.

"Your nails always look so nice," I overheard one damsel remark to the another not long ago, says a correspondent. "Do you go to a manicure every day?"

"Oh, no, I have never been to one, for it is the easiest thing in the world to take care of one's own nails—just a little care every day."

"Well, I've tried and tried, and I can't make mine look even decent. Tell me what you do."

Here I listened for the prescription, which in sum and substance was as follows:

In order to keep the skin back from the nail I use a nail brush freely—using it on the nails particularly. Then, in drying my hands, I work the towel from the point of the nail back toward the finger. I cut my nails often and don't let them get too long. By cutting the nails in such a way that the corners do not adhere to the skin, hang nails can be avoided and the shape of the nails changed. Where the nails are thin and inclined to break, frequent oiling is necessary, and the nails should never be polished, except when some oily substance is used beside the powder. This keeps the nails more plisble, and no matter how thin they are, if properly treated they are no more liable to break than thicker ones. Another thing that is bad for the nails is polishing them too roughly. They should be lightly touched and not rubbed until they become heated. This is one cause of white spots coming on the nail and marring its beauty. A little attention every day will make any hand look nice.

To this conversation which I overheard let me add a word or two about the hands. To make them white they should be occasionally rubbed with lemon juice and water. The hands should never be allowed to remain long soiled with anything that will stain them. But unless there is some reason for it, it is better not to wash the hands too often. They should be dried with a soft towel.—Chicago Herald.

She Had a Chill.

It was on the Third avenue elevated road, shortly after noon, one day last week. Just after leaving Twenty-third street a young woman who had got on alone at Fourteenth street turned to the woman who sat next her and asked suddenly:

"How far do you go, please?"

A little surprised, she replied: "To 125th street."

"Oh, then, will you be good enough to help me! I am subject to chills ever since a summer in New Jersey over a year ago, and I feel one coming on now. It is dreadful to have it right here, but I can do nothing to prevent it, and won't you hold my hands while I am having it?"

The girl had grown pale and pinched while she spoke, and nervous twitches about her mouth showed that the uncomfortable visitation was really near. Her neighbor began taking off her gloves. She had hardly done so when the chill was on. Wave after wave of shuddering emotion swept over the unfortunate victim, her teeth chattered violently, her frame trembled, and she fairly radiated cold. The elder woman seized her hands firmly, the girl leaned her head against the window frame, closed her eyes, and the interesting emanation from the Jersey marshes had full sway. A man sitting opposite took in the situation and proffered a pocket flask, but it was some minutes before the patient was able to swallow the liquor. When she did it evidently afforded relief. By the time the train had reached 125th street the violent period of the attack was over, and she was able, with the assistance of her new found friend, to get off and board a cable car in the street below.—New York Sun.

Bridal Couples Who Demand Candles.

A couple from Towanda arrived at the Hotel Warford on Saturday evening last, and employed the services of a minister, who made them husband and wife. The newly made Benedict then engaged a room, and Henderson Brown, the affable waiter, proceeded to escort them to the bridal chamber, which is lighted by electricity. Henderson then proceeded to instruct the Towandian how to manipulate the light, knowing that few from that village ever saw other than a tallow dip used for that purpose. His guests stood with open eyed wonder and fear depicted on their features, so great was their astonishment. The groom finally asked what caused the light, and when told it was electricity he put in a protest, declaring that he "had heern tell of it, and didn't want any for him, as he was not ready to die," and insisted on having the light turned off. It is said that candles are now in great demand for the various hotels here to accommodate their Towanda bridal guests.—Waverly (Ia.) Free Press.

CRIME OR CONSPIRACY.

Proprietor of "Paradise Apiary" Whose Motto is "In God We Trust."

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 1.—Nicholas M. Betsinger, a widely known bee keeper, proprietor of the "Paradise apiary," at Marcellus Falls, trustee of the Methodist Church, an aggressive prohibitionist, and a man who on his business cards in his trade mark has stamped the motto "In God we trust," is charged with a heinous offence upon two little girls in his employ, and he is now at large at $1000 bail. Betsinger is married, and his wife is an invalid. Four years ago Betsinger adopted a little girl named Zeda Young, aged 11 years, from the Oswego Orphan Asylum, and last February he took another girl, Fridae Grossley, aged 14, from the Orphan Asylum at Auburn. Both girls have been kept in seclusion and the neighbors have seen but little of them. Last Monday they ran away and the stories they told to people who gave them shelter led to the arrest of Betsinger on a charge of assault. The village is very much excited over the matter and there have been threats of tar and feathers and even lynching. Betsinger claims that he is the victim of a conspiracy.

Law Library for Westminster.

In answer to a requisition made in February by the members of the local Bar for an appropriation towards the founding of a law library in this city, the Law Society have decided to allow $1,000 for that purpose. While this sum is small in comparison to the yearly revenue derived by the Law Society from the Mainland, yet it goes to prove that the importance of this city as a law centre is becoming recognized by the Victoria Bar. The eight gentlemen who were called to the Mainland Bar a few days ago contributed $2,000 to the funds of the society. It is to be hoped that the society will make a further move in the right right direction by making a further appropriation. The Westminster and Vancouver Bars fully recognize the necessity there is for keeping up the library at the Capital where the Appellate Courts sit, and will always be willing to make just allowance on this account. At the same time, Victoria, which is deriving so much from the two Mainland cities, should afford to yield to them proper consideration of their wants.—Columbian.

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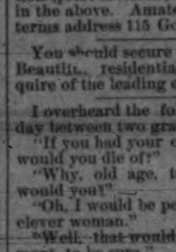

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	Ar.	Ar.			Dep.	Dep.		
	12.01 p.m.	8.00 p.m.		VICTORIA	8.00 a.m.	3.00 p.m.		
	12.20	8.20		SHAWNIGAN	7.40	2.40		
	12.30	8.30		COBBLE HILL	7.30	2.30		
	12.40	8.40		COWICHAN LAKE	7.20	2.20		
	1.45 a.m.	9.45		GLENORA	6.15	1.15		
	1.55	9.55		MERRIDALE	6.05	1.05		
	2.05	10.05		COBBLE HILL	5.55	12.55		
	2.15	10.15		MOUNTAIN	5.45	12.45		
	2.25	10.25		KOKSILAH	5.35	12.35		
	2.35	10.35		DUNCANS	5.25	12.25		
	3.10	11.10		SOMENOS	4.50	11.50		
	3.45	11.45		CHEMAINUS	4.15	11.15		
	Dep.	Dep.		NANAIMO	Ar.	Ar.	P.M. 10.15	WELLINGTON
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					4.30 p.m.	7.00		
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"This is the true history in brief of a large proportion of the nominations for Parliament, the Legislature or the Council. Good men cannot be expected to do this degrading kind of work as a matter of fact good men do not. There are good men to be had in public life, but they will not seek office and unfortunately the office does not seek them. Meanwhile the choice of the electorate is to a great extent confined to the candidates who are not too modest to nominate themselves." It is to be regretted that in this connection the Star suggests no method of reform. After so true an arraignment in which it is made so clear that a modest man is put to a disadvantage, there should be no hesitancy in prescribing a remedy. The fact of the matter is there is no remedy except in the adoption of the American system, and this cuts across the Canadian grain. It is nevertheless true though that until we do adopt it there will always be ground for complaint. The American "primaries" and "conventions" are sometimes "fixed," it is true, but then this is the fault of the electors themselves. Under the American system, honestly conducted, the best men are invariably brought forward. The patriot who disregards the mandate of the convention, that is to say, runs independent, must be a popular man indeed. The business of the convention is to decide who of the candidates for Congress or whatever office it may be, is the ablest and most popular, and the convention usually hits the nail on the head.

A POLITICAL EXODUS.

The Colonist is of the opinion that it would be a very foolish thing for New Westminster to throw the Premier over-board, and that in the event of it being done he will have no difficulty in finding another constituency. We do not see that New Westminster can consistently support the Premier, nor yet do we see how the Premier can avoid soliciting the support of his old district in vindication of his attitude on the redistribution question. This we believe is the custom under responsible government, and will the Hon. JOHN ROBSON repudiate it? Surely it is a confession of weakness for him to seek another constituency. A proud man, a man conscious of the rectitude of his intentions would scarcely fail to appeal to his old constituents to vindicate him. Will the Hon. JOHN ROBSON do it, or will he seek to represent some inconsequential constituency? Things point that way, although we note among the Mainland papers an evident inclination to hedge on their loud talk of a few weeks ago. If the Hon. JOHN ROBSON fails to stand for New Westminster he simply advertises his moral cowardice, and blazons his hankering to remain in office at any price. And how about the redoubtable Attorney-General? We do not see his name on the list of the chosen for this city. Why does the Attorney-General seek pastures new? All this simply indicates that he is not satisfied with himself, that he chose to pursue a course in the House which he knew his constituents would not endorse. It is a pitable sight to see these champions, these patriots, these saviors of their country, deserting their old constituencies for new ones that their chances of re-election shall be augmented. What stronger argument could be adduced than this that the TIMES' denunciation of these men has been based on good grounds? They dare not stand for their old constituencies. It seems to us that in seeking new constituencies "Honest JOHN" and THEO. simply discredit the organs which so long have supported them.

THEY LICK HIS HAND.

According to the Truth and the World (the News has not yet spoken), "the question of re-distribution is not likely to wax with the passing moons," and the electors on the lower Fraser will, as soon as they are given the opportunity, turn in and lick the hand that smote them. We predicted as much at the time. Behind the easy attitude of the Truth, and underneath the frothy effervescence of the Columbian, particularly in the matter of the gusto with which the latter adverted to the Superintendent of Education white-wash, it was plain to be seen that when the time came they would fall into line and shout for the Quintette. But we do not complain. This is the sweet privilege of any and all mossbacks. It is quite clear that "Honest JOHN" is thoroughly familiar with the people he represents on the Fraser.

VICTOR HUGO'S WORK IMMORAL.

It will surprise most people to learn that VICTOR HUGO'S works are proscribed as immoral, and that of these "Les Miserables" is one. It is the fact, nevertheless, and he who will consult the index librarium prohibitorium will find the proof of it. Recently an action was taken by M. TACHE, Private Secretary to Secretary of State CHAPLEAU against CARDIEUX & DEROME, well known booksellers of Montreal, for $1,400, on account of their refusal to carry out a contract for the importation of VICTOR HUGO'S works. The morality of HUGO'S works was attacked and several most important points bearing on the relative authority of the Church and the State were raised in the case. "What is contrary to good morals?" asks a writer on the subject. "There are works so wanton in their language, so evident in their purpose, and so evidently repugnant to public morality that in their presence definitions become unnecessary. No person, however, pretends that charges such as these can be brought against the writings of VICTOR HUGO. We have therefore sought to reach some clear and positive conception of what in its more limited senses the expression "contrary to good morals' means. There are many things morally which are not legally wrong, and care must be taken to judge between the parties according to purely legal rules and definitions. That HUGO has written things which marred his genius, and has committed himself to views which many men would repudiate, are undeniable facts; but all the same he was a great writer, poet and dramatist, and an imposing central figure in the nineteenth century history of France. No one can read his works without agreeing with this moderate praise of what he was and what he felt: "In his moral nature we shall find much that is strong, elevated and tender—a true passion for France, a true sympathy for the poor and oppressed, a true fondness for children." Another eminent writer declares that "It may be asserted, without the least fear of contradiction, that VICTOR HUGO will hold to all posterity the position of the greatest poet and one of the greatest prose writers in France." Neither during his life nor since his death in 1885 has any court been sought to hold that any of the the works of VICTOR HUGO were against public law or public morals, or were written for the corruption of the public conscience. His magnificent genius applied itself to loftier, if sometimes mistaken, purposes. It is by these tests that the case must be judged. As well might the works of RACINE, or CHATEAUBRIAND, or LAMARTINE, or BYRON, or SWINBURNE, or many of the earlier classical writers of France and England, be challenged as not susceptible of creating valid civil obligations because they sometimes paint the weaknesses and facts of human nature in words of greater passion or greater realism than some might think desirable or necessary." We need scarcely add that the Judge found for the plaintiff.

OPPOSITION CANDIDATES.

At a representative meeting of electors opposed to the present Provincial Government, held last evening in Philharmonic Hall, the following Candidates were unanimously selected to contest the city at the next general election:

HON. ROBERT BEAVEN.
MAYOR GRANT,
DR. MILNE,
E. G. RICHARDS, Jr.

This is an admirable ticket, all four gentlemen are well known; they are old-time residents and prominent in public and private life. Each one is possessed of the ability required in a representative, and each has the interests of Victoria and of the Province sincerely at heart. We believe a large majority of the electors of the city are opposed to the Government whose misrule is now drawing to a close, and if they are but united and work together for the common end—the overthrow of Robsonianism—that they will triumph at the polls.

THE TIMES.

The WEEKLY TIMES is presented to its readers this week in a new and enlarged form. The old unwieldy four-page form has been discarded for the more modern convenient quarto. The issue of this week contains twelve pages of carefully prepared reading matter, but as occasion requires, the number of pages will be increased to sixteen. The paper is printed on new type, and is folded, cut and pasted by machinery. These improvements, necessarily, have involved a very large expenditure of money, but the TIMES has received such liberal support from the people of British Columbia, that this step in advance of the press generally is felt to be fully justified. Our people love an independent and fearless press, and they admire enterprise in journalism as in everything else. The TIMES, started less than seven years ago, has "paddled its own canoe" up to the present time. It has fought for and won the admiration and friendship of a majority of the people of the Province. It has made enemies, as every outspoken journal must, and some of its most bitter and relentless opponents have not been too scrupulous about the means to which they resorted to silence its criticisms. But the TIMES has lived and prospered, and to-day it is the most widely read newspaper in British Columbia. We propose to retain the position to which we have attained, and to make the TIMES a better paper than ever before. In doing so, we solicit a continuance of that generous encouragement from the people (we ask no favors from politicians of any class, or from any government or party), to which we alone owe our success. The people with us, we care not if every wire-puller, every combinester and every monopolist is against us. Our present subscribers can help us very materially by recommending the TIMES to their neighbors, and by sending us the news of their districts.

When Henry George first began to speak in public in California, he was inclined to be longwinded. The San Francisco Wasp tells how he once delivered the better part of a seventeen-column oration at a Fourth of July celebration. He began his oration late in the afternoon. After he had spoken for an hour or so the gallery began to manifest unmistakable signs of impatience. The orator deemed it timely to skip a hundred pages and conclude with the peroration. This was deftly done, and then, getting fresh wind, he began: "A thousand years hence who will fight for liberty?" "A thousand years hence who will write for liberty?" "A thousand years hence who will speak for liberty?" The pause at the last liberty-inspiring interrogatory was broken by a voice in the gallery, which ran thus through the theatre: "You will! Harry George." There was an explosion of laughter. The merriment spread to the stage, and in the midst of it Harry George folded his papers and "silently stole away."—New York Tribune.

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WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Sec. pro tem.
Victoria, B. C., 3rd May, 1890. my4-td

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Victoria, B. C., 5th May, 1890. my5-td

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Robert Browning.

This rugged old poet, dying at 77, is another venerable man who retained the full vigor of his intellectual powers to the last. One of his dying utterances was an expression of satisfaction that his new volume of poems had been so well received.

Browning was sweet natured and strong, and a great favorite socially with women in his old age. Among his best known works are "Saul," "A Soul's Tragedy," "Dramatic Lyrics," and the poems called "Men and Women." He will be recognized by posterity as an original poet, and a great one, perhaps, but if posterity is no fonder of reading his poems than his contemporaries were the copyright on them will not be an invaluable possession. His rhythm was unmusical to the popular ear, his meaning, though profoundly philosophical, was not readily grasped. To appreciate him thoroughly required more time and study than most people, especially most Americans, can give to any literary works, not even excepting Shakespeare and the Bible.

Yet some of Browning's warmest admirers were in the United States. Browning societies are in several cities of the Union. The members patiently study and discuss his poetry month after month, year after year, and the more they study the more they admire. The headquarters of the Browning enthusiasts are in Philadelphia.

But with the multitude Robert Browning's chief distinction will probably always be that he was the husband of Elizabeth Barrett Browning.

The Labor Federation.

One of the most important and interesting conventions ever held in the country was that which met at Boston a few days ago, under the name of the American Federation of Labor. Each of the industrial trades of the country has its own local associations. From the local unions delegates go annually to a national convention of members of that trade. Each national trade convention sends delegates from its body to meet delegates from the other national trades unions. These delegates, united, compose the American Federation of Labor.

Portraits of the leading officers of the Federation have been recently published in the newspapers. They represent as fine looking a body of men as can be found in the halls of congress itself. There are fewer red noses among them than one sees in congress. The men have earnest, dignified faces, not aggressive, but strong and determined looking.

From these portraits of cigarmakers, sailors, carpenters and iron workers one may read that the man of intelligence and cultivated brains will be recognized, whatever his occupation is. It is all one whether he shoves a pen or a plane.

The convention at Boston was the ninth annual meeting of the Federation. It represented 750,000 members of trades unions. The most important aim the Federation has in immediate view is to secure the general adoption of the eight hour working day.

Jefferson Davis was one of the few native residents of this country who was not a citizen of the United States. An act of general amnesty was passed Dec. 25, 1868, to all those engaged in the rebellion. In this Davis was included. Jan. 10, 1876, S. J. Randall introduced into the house a bill removing the political disabilities of all men in the Union. Mr. Blaine offered an amendment excepting Mr. Davis from the benefits of the bill, on the ground that he was responsible for the horrors of Andersonville. A heated debate followed. The Democrats were in the majority in the house, but not a two-third majority, without which the act could not be passed. The Republicans refused to vote for the bill without the amendment excepting Davis. The Democrats refused to pass the amendment, and thus the bill was left without action. Seven hundred men were included in its provisions, who would have been free from their political disabilities if the bill had passed. Such of them as are yet alive and have not applied separately for release are still non-citizens.

Prince Murat is a tough and grizzled old gentleman past 60. His title only dates from the first Napoleon, and never was recognized by the old nobility of France. Moreover, titles are no good in France any more. Besides that it never was much of a title, anyhow. The old chap who holds it is swamped by gambling debts, and if he wanted a certificate of an affectionate disposition and good moral character as a preliminary to matrimony, he could not get it even in France. He is not handsome if he looks like his pictures, heaven knows. Yet the American girl, Miss Caldwell, says she fell in love with the old fellow at first sight and loves him still. Let us hope she will not go down to an early grave with a broken heart.

Genuine Spook Stories.

The English Society for Psychical Research has published part 15 of its investigations. This society is doing a valuable work for psychological science. It gathers and classifies facts and appearances not cognizable by the senses in their ordinary state.

Under such a classification come ghostly apparitions, prophetic visions, warnings and premonitions from supposed supernatural sources, etc. The strong point of the S. P. R.'s work is that it insists on facts as rigidly as an anatomist would. Nothing of doubtful origin is admitted to its records. Descriptions must be exact, names and dates must be given, with attending circumstances, however trivial. Persons narrating the experiences must be vouched for as of truthful, honorable character.

With these restrictions the society has succeeded in gathering a mass of fact intensely interesting.

A former publication was devoted to stories of apparitions of persons that appeared immediately or soon after their death. These apparitions might be due to an intense thought or desire of a dying person at the moment of dissolution. If the dying had a powerful desire to see an absent person, the desire might make upon the absent an impression so strong that in this supreme moment he would actually see an apparition of his friend who was in the jaws of death. The S. P. R. found many such instances that were well authenticated. They are known, in fact, in the history of many families.

But, to the mind of science, such apparitions would not prove the immortality of the soul, although science would admit their reality. What, however, shall we say when the apparition appears years after the person is dead and gives warning of important events about to take place? Would it not convey at least a strong presumption that, somewhere and somehow, the departed survived at least a number of years after he had slipped off this body? To apparitions of this kind, the appearance of the dead at a time long following their decease, publication 15 of the S. P. R. is devoted. The headquarters of the American society of the same name are at 5 Boylston place, Boston.

Our Great Ones Abroad.

Attention has been called to the great number of English theatrical stars, lecturers and show people in general that are in America this winter coining money from the Yankees.

Well, what of it? For every British star in America, have we not just as brilliant ones in Europe? Verily we have. There is our own Col. Cody—Buffalo Bill. Not even Irving and Terry themselves ever had such a run in this country as the Wild West show has been having in Europe for two years. It has left Paris, and is now in Lyons, and there is no sign of any diminishing popularity.

Where, pray, is Barnum, the greatest showman on earth? Was he not prohibited from parading in London on Lord Mayor's day, for fear that his elephants and monkeys would prove a greater attraction than the mayor's procession and thus the whole British nation be scandalized?

Where is Mary Anderson, whom the British like even more than her own countrymen do? Where are the bright, sweet voiced American girls who are this moment the most popular concert singers in London?

Where is Alice Shaw, the whistler, who created a real furore abroad? Little Marshall Wilder, too, made the heavy British sides shake and ache with laughter.

The truth is, the United States is the coming country for singers, actors and other geniuses, who are bound to take Europe by storm. It is written in the stars.

One of the points in which the west is in advance of the east is in the sale of fruit and vegetables by weight. In the eastern and middle portion the old, deceiving method by measurement is still practiced. It is easy for a skilled fraud in the fruit and vegetable business to stand under the very eyes of his guileless customer and pretend to fill a measure full of potatoes, when it is in reality only two-thirds full. The young scapegraces who peddle fruit from wagons are the most conscienceless in this respect. Their measures are so scant that the much victimized public occasionally decline to buy their wares at all. The New York Retail Grocers' association, greatly to their credit, are endeavoring to establish the custom of selling everything by weight. The old rule, "a pint's a pound the world around," no longer works well.

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Mock Congresses.

Congress gives the custom to the land in the matter of parliamentary usage. The students of Cornell university have formed a mock congress. They have an association framed, as far as may be, on the pattern of the national house of representatives, and in sessions not less orderly and dignified than those of the real body they pass bills and appoint committees that deliberate gravely on national affairs.

Such organizations are invaluable. In years to come undoubtedly among the brightest ornaments in national councils will be some of these boys who in mock congress learned parliamentary usage and extempore speaking. It was in the country debating society that Garfield learned his silver tongued eloquence, his power over an audience and his familiarity with parliamentary usage.

The college literary society and the country debating club are the cradle of oratory. As a means of popular education their value cannot be overestimated. Here are brought home to the understanding of the plainest people the large questions of the country and the world. Mock parliaments are a favorite medium for the discussion among the common people in England of the subjects that occupy the attention of the real parliament.

The literary and debating society, in which the member becomes familiar with parliamentary usage and extempore speaking, are no less useful for women than for men. The old fashioned ladies' aid and missionary societies were carried on with a disregard of the rules of parliamentary usage that scandalized mankind. Now the great and growing number of women's clubs and organizations make it unpardonable if a lady who belongs to one of them at least does not know how to put a motion and preside at a meeting. There are excellent little works on parliamentary usage, which will teach the most ignorant, who study them carefully, to become familiar with the conducting of public meetings.

Our Navy as It Is.

Secretary Tracy calls attention to the fact that the United States navy now consists of eight fighting vessels of no great fighting power. Not another ship is worth counting. The eight ships are the cruisers Chicago, Boston, Atlanta, Dolphin, Baltimore, Charleston, Yorktown and Petrel. The last four named are the newest ships, having been designed in 1883. The largest of the four is the Baltimore, of 4,000 tons.

The Baltimore, our fastest cruiser, can travel between twenty-three and twenty-four miles an hour at her best spurts. It was announced a few months ago that the Baltimore was the swiftest cruiser afloat, but Secretary Tracy points out that this is a mistake. The swiftest war vessel in the world is the Italian cruiser Piemonte, built at the Elswick works, England. The Piemonte is a cruiser of 2,500 tons, with a protected steel deck and the modern armament of quick firing guns. She has shown a speed of twenty-six miles an hour.

What we have in the way of a navy is soon described. What we need takes longer. For coast defense we want twenty large and heavy armored ships of moderate draught. Eight vessels of this type are already under construction. Five of the old monitors are being made over into steamers of this class. Next we should have twenty large battleships, separated into two fleets—eight ships to the Pacific, twelve to the Atlantic and the Gulf waters. There is need of three cruisers to one battle ship. Sixty cruisers of the type of the eight already constructed will therefore be needed. The navy will then consist of one hundred vessels, the least number any well regulated nation can do with.

Not everybody is aware how long it takes to construct a navy. First congress must authorize the construction of a vessel and make an appropriation for building. Next plans must be called for and adopted. Then the navy department advertises for construction bids. These are passed on and the contract awarded. But so much time is necessarily consumed that, between the ordering of a naval vessel and its completion, five years usually elapses. Only eight vessels at a time can be under construction at our ship yards. So that it will be fifteen years before we have a navy.

A young colored man proved his capacity for the higher civilization a few days ago by committing suicide. There is scarcely a case on record in which one of the negro race has killed himself. They cling to life with a tenacity that is extraordinary, seeing how little civilized life has to offer them. Many of them live to a very advanced age, and they are infinitely merrier and freer from care than their white brethren. Is this certainly a sign of inferiority, that they do not worry and fret like white people?

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Some Pretty Stiff Yarns Concerning Fog from the Fo'cas'le Chest.

I was sitting on the stun'sails secured on the starboard side of the to'gallant fo'cas'le one night during our run from Cape Horn, when the trades blew steadily, and the watch had nothing to do but spin yarns. We were homeward bound from a three years' cruise in the orient, and had settled down to the monotonous life of a run up the trades. Yarn spinning was the principal occupation of the men, and they let no moment that could be filled with this pass unimproved, their great endeavor seeming to be to reach the height of the improbable.

Three of the most inveterate yarn spinners of the crew were seated on the fo'cas'le chest, just opposite me. They were Jack Kelley, the captain of the port fo'cas'le watch; Tom Hutchins, the chief boatswain's mate, and Bill Williams, the signal quartermaster. It was diamond cut diamond with them always; when yarns were being swapped, and I knew I had a treat in store the moment Williams said:

"Well, boys, we'll be on the coast in time for the March fogs. Hope they won't be so bad as I had them once in the gulf, when I was on the blockade, in the Tioga."

"And you had a fog experience in the gulf, did you? Well, let us hear about it," said Kelley.

"It was in June," said Williams; "we had left Key West, bound for Mobile, with important dispatches, so we could not hold up for anything, and the morning after we sailed the fog met us. Well, it was so thick that we had to have a man with a shovel at the binnacle to scoop the fog away, so that the wheelsman could see how to keep his course."

"And you call that a thick fog?" said Hutchins, with a tone of contempt in his voice. "Well, it don't compare with one I met coming from the Mediterranean in the Brandywine, in the 'forties. I was an apprentice then, and it was my first cruise, and, of course, I was anxious to get home, so every day I got the reckoning. Well, we were going along about ten knots, with the wind on the quarter and all sail set, when, just after meridian, we bucked up against a fog. The wind kept fair, however, and the sails were full, so we thought nothing of it, though we did not get a sight of the sun for five days. It cleared off about 11 in the morning, and the sailing master, as we called the navigator then, came up and took the noon sight, and I'll be eternally smashed if we were not exactly in the same place we were at noon five days before. That confounded fog was so thick that it had just held us fast, and we with all sail set, and a fair ten knot breeze to help us."

"That was something of a fog," said Kelley, "and yet I don't know that it can quite come up to one that I made the acquaintance of when I was sailing in the merchant service just before the war. I had been home, up the Kennebeck, and they had just finished a new 3,000-ton clipper for the New York tea trade. She had taken in ice to carry as ballast, and I was asked to help take her round. We set sail, with a strong north wind blowing down the river, and just before we got to the mouth we met a fog. Our skipper was an old cruiser in that latitude, however, so he kept on. I noticed the ship had a curious sort of bobbing motion, but the fog was so thick you couldn't even see the water, and as the sails kept full, though the wind slackened, and we kept going ahead, why, I didn't pay much attention to it.

"Well, we sailed along for nearly a week, with the fog as thick as pudding, and then all at once we gave a dive and dropped nearly fifty feet. The ship swayed and cracked, and we were all knocked off our feet. Luckily she was a new craft and the damp weather had kept her rigging taut, or her masts must have gone by the board. When she quieted down and we could get on our legs once more we looked back, and there was a thick wall of fog, that we had tumbled from, and you can believe it or not, just as you like, but that ship had been sailing on a fog bank for a week, and when she reached the edge of it she jumped off and dropped."

"It's time I hove the log," said Williams, and with that the party broke up, and Kelley, with an air of great satisfaction, walked over to the rail and gave the jib sheet a critical examination.—Ocean.

The Possibilities of Life.

We are put here to secrete something everlasting out of nature. The opportunities are rich, but it is the capacity, the fiber, that determines whether we shall do it, for nature contributes to our life, not primarily according to its bounty, but according to the filaments in us that will solicit and incorporate its bounty. One man absorbs mathematical truth out of the heavens, while side by side with him a mortal exists that organizes nothing grand or stately into his constitution—just as the mushroom can do no more than hoist its plaited parasol out of the same ground, and in the same sunlight, from which the oak sued imbibed slowly its tremendous strength. Another man draws to himself the wisdom printed in the granite leaves beneath us, which earthquakes have turned for our benefit, and shows that he has ennobled his life by it. A third wins a divine thought, hinted in the old bones which the globe entombs; while a fourth fastens on history, and compels the laws of it to filter through facts into his reason.—Starr King.

A Poet's Princely Revenue.

The late Martin F. Tupper was ridiculed a good deal during his lifetime, but his poetry was pure and his life was cleanly, and now that he is dead even his critics have some kindly words for him and his work. It is understood that Tupper never received but $400 from America, but it is estimated that if he had had a copyright he would have got fully half a million. For many years he enjoyed a princely revenue from his English publishers, considerably in excess of the profits accruing to Tennyson, the Brownings and Longfellow all put together.—Frank Leslie's Newspaper.

Animal Friendship.

Here is another story about the friendship of animals. A blacksmith named Thomas Ilse bought a little black faced lamb and put it into a field in which were a cow and a little Galloway pony. The lamb took no notice of the cow, but soon began to show great fondness for the pony, which returned its affection, and the two friends kept constantly in each other's company. When the pony was used for riding or drawing a cart the lamb would trot beside it, and if at any time the lamb was alarmed by people coming too near to look at it, it would run under the body of the pony and pop out its little black face from between the forelegs, and look about it in conscious security. At night the lamb slept in the stable, and if separated from the pony would raise plaintive bleatings, which the pony answered by mournful neighings. And just as a dog leaves the society of its own kind to follow man, this little lamb forsook its own species that it might associate with its friend, for on one occasion, when the blacksmith was riding the pony, the lamb, as usual, trotting beside it, they passed a large flock of sheep that was being driven along the road. The lamb never heeded the sheep, but went straight through them with the pony. Another time both pony and lamb strayed into an adjoining field, in which there was a flock of sheep feeding. The lamb joined them for a short time, but as soon as the blacksmith came to drive out the pony the lamb followed without once looking back at its natural companions.—Christian Advocate.

Too Much Study Bad.

Dr. O. Sprague Paine, of New York, has made a specialty of studying the brain. This is what he says:

"Men very often die from overwork, especially brain workers. Many men study day and night and work day and night almost, and so overtax their brains that they become mentally and physically incapable of performing their proper work, and eventually break down altogether under the mental strain. These then have to rest, and great care has to be taken in order that they may fully regain their health. In many cases they have broken down so completely that as long as they live they are mere wrecks of their former selves, and in many cases they fail to recover at all. A great many are troubled with sleeplessness and fail to pay any attention to this, thinking that it is nothing at all. This is really a very serious and dangerous condition to be in. Persons who can't sleep can't rest properly. Eventually the brain will wear out. It is absolutely impossible to keep well without sleep. Men must have sleep, or else suffer for it, and the first organ of the body that will suffer will be the brain. Unless the brain is properly rested the patient will break down and perhaps become insane."—Herald of Health.

A Noted Elephant.

The Ceylon papers announce the death of an elephant named Sella, which had served the public works department for over sixty-five years. Originally Sella belonged to the last of the kings of Kandy, Sri Wickrama Raja Singha, and was one of about 100 elephants which passed to the British government in 1815, when the Kandyan dynasty was overthrown and the whole island passed under British rule. It was supposed at that time that Sella was 15 years of age, but this was uncertain. In 1880 it was decided that all the elephants belonging to the public works department should be sold, and Sella fell to a well known resident of Colombo, Mr. De Soyza. The animal aided in several keddah operations for the capture and taming of wild elephants, but became totally blind about three years ago. He continued, however, to work at the plow until within a short time of his death. After death the tusks were removed and measured five feet in length. Sella himself was 8 feet high.

Warning Ghosts in China.

In case the family is too poor to own a burial mound, or to stand the expenses of the funeral, the coffin is kept in the house until they can raise enough money to put it under the ground in good style, writes Frank G. Carpenter. A tutor employed at the American legation in Peking has had the coffin containing his father's body in his house for the last two years, and he has not yet been able to raise enough money to bury it. Before he picks out a burial spot he will, like all Chinamen, get a fortune teller to choose a lucky place for him, and he will go periodically to the grave and burn some paper money over it and some suits of paper clothes to keep the spirit of his father warm, and will place some food before it that his father may have a ghostly feast during the night.

An Unpleasant Companion.

Travelers sometimes have strange bed fellows. A first class passenger, by a slow passenger train running between Howrah and Assenole, was disagreeably surprised to find, on waking from a sound sleep, that something cold had come in contact with his hand. On looking at the hand, what was his horror to find that underneath it was a cobra. As the snake was asleep and had not coiled itself around the hand, the gentleman sprang up and managed to evade its bite. How it got into the carriage is one of those mysteries no one can unravel. It may have effected an entrance while the carriage was on the siding at Howrah, and quietly ensconced itself behind the cushions of the carriage seat.—Indian Paper.

Had Enough of the Tune.

"Come over to our church and hear me preach this morning," said the pastor. "If you don't like the sermon you will the music; we are going to have some of the loveliest chants you ever listened to." "No, thanks," replied Mr. Badman, for it was he. "I took some in the grab bag, the fish pond, the ring cake and the prize doll at your fair last week, and I haven't a cent left for the contribution basket. Guess I'll stay out till my luck changes."—Burdette in Brooklyn Eagle.

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½ lb box Good BLACK TEA	1 00	7 cakes Diagman's SOAP	50
1 5-lb pkg. Prices CANDLES	60	5 packets PEARLINE	1 00
1 sack Island POTATOES	2 25	Fearman's HAMS, per lb	15
SAGO, 12 lbs for	1 00	20 lbs BEANS	1 00
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Sunday Work.

A correspondent of the Vancouver News complains that the C.P.R. steamer Batavia continued unloading and replenishing her coal bunks all day Sunday. The correspondent claims that the captain could not do this in any part of the British dominions or China.

No Decrease in Speed.

No diminution in the speed of incoming and out-going trains, at Westminster can be noted, says the Columbian. The sad example of last week served for about twenty-four hours. This would be rather an expensive way of inducing even the C. P. R. to pay some respect to the municipal laws. But apparently no other way will do.

Perseverance Lodge, I.O.G.T.

At the regular meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 1, I.O.G.T., held last evening, the following officers were installed by Lodge Deputy R. J. Plummer: P.C.T., Sis. S. M. Hall; C.T., Bro. J. Russell; V.T., Sis. N. Sullivan; S.J.T., Sis. M. Fox; Sec., Bro. C. J. Bearchell; A.S., Sis. L. S. Swan; F.S., Sis. M. Robertson; Chap., Bro. F. Gilchrist; M., Bro. C. Thompson; D.M., Sis. J. Carne; G., Sis. M. Meffitts.

Still Looks Youthful.

Speaking of political reminiscences of by-gone days in British Columbia the Westminster Truth says they were recalled to the old-timers of that city on Monday, by the appearance on the streets of the stately form of Hon. Amor de Cosmos. The hand of time seems to bear but lightly on the person of the first premier of the "people's" Government and the retired statesman is looking as hale and hearty as he did some fifteen years ago.

Changed Hands.

The sash and door factory on Langley street, occupied by Mr. Charles Hayward, has been leased by Mr. Robert McIntosh, who will make a number of improvements and soon have the mill running to its full capacity. Mr. Hayward has found that his undertaking business demands all his attention, and Mr. McIntosh's growing business requires a steam mill, so the transfer has been one of mutual benefit.

Sons of St. George.

The attention of English readers is called to the advertisement in to-day's Times of the Institution of Milton Lodge Sons of St. George which takes place at the Wallace Society's Hall Broad Street at 7:30 p. m. to-night. After the ceremonies are concluded, an adjournment will be taken to the Delmonico, where a supper will be provided. It is expected to institute the Lodge with about forty. All desirous of going at the low rate of $3.00 must do so to-night, as the fee will be increased after institution of the Lodge.

The Biter Bit.

A suit has been commenced in the Seattle courts for the recovery of $45 from one McKinnon, who was the stakeholder in a bet of $45 on Cameron in the Quinn-Cameron wrestling match last week. Smith alleges that he had a "dead sure tip" from Cameron whom he believed to be his friend, as to how he could safely bet. He now believes that the stakeholder was on the inside, and finding, as he believes, that the man who covered his money was betting on the sure thing instead of himself, he will appeal to the law. He states that he ordered McKinnon, who is bar keeper at the Russ Hotel, not to pay over the money.

Another Crowded House.

The Victoria Theatre was well filled again last evening when Erminie was presented for the third time by amateurs. The performance, it might even be said was better than the first two, on account of the actors having had more practice, although several were suffering from colds. Miss Pauline and Miss Shaw were each well received, and presented with bouquets by their admirers. Messrs. Rhodes and Lombard surpassed their former efforts as the two smart rogues, their funny songs and remarks keeping the house in roars of laughter. The performers and management may well feel proud of their efforts last evening, which were for the benefit of Prof. Pfeidner, who so successfully trained them.

The Railway Ferry.

A despatch from New Westminster yesterday stated that Mr. Amor de Cosmos was there on business connected with Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster city. A later dispatch says, a deputation of directors of the Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster railway waited on the mayor and council this afternoon, and laid the scheme before them. The directors declared their ability to have the road constructed and in running order before the end of the year, and wished to know what assistance Westminster would give the project. The mayor replied that the matter would be considered at at early date, and every consideration given it.

The weather is very warm, and rain is badly needed.

Foundered at Sea.

The fact is settled beyond reasonable doubt that the American bark Nellie May has foundered at sea, and that all on board have perished.

The steamer Lorne on Sunday picked up off the cape the stern piece of a vessel which had painted on it the name of the illfated bark. This is the first news of the Nellie May since she cleared from Port Townsend on January 23rd last. During the latter part of January a severe storm raged off Cape Flattery, and it is supposed that it was then that the vessel foundered.

The bark was loaded with lumber which she took on at Port Madison and was bound for San Francisco. She was of 700 tons register and was built in 1867, and was considered A 1, and thoroughly seaworthy. She was owned by Sayward, of Port Madison, Merrick, of San Francisco, and Axell, who was her master. Her complement consisted of thirteen men. The vessel was valued at $10,000 and is insured, while her cargo of lumber, valued at $7,500, is believed to be uninsured.

For the North.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz will sail for the north this evening, with a large freight list and several passengers. Among those going up are, B. Stapledon, Dr. Bolton, Mr. Ashby, and Messrs. H. Rudge and W. Huson, who take up a party of quarry men to work their new quarry. There are also a number of loggers going up.

Troublesome Boys.

A little boy who has several times made himself known in police circles, on account of his forwardness in the way in which he speaks to gentlemen on the streets, was the cause of another row last evening. A farmer with his team was standing at Porter's corner when the youngster came up and commenced checking him, whereupon he gave chase and had it not been for the interference of a police officer would undoubtedly have given the boy a sound thrashing.

A Dangerous Spot.

Close to the sidewalk on Wharf street, and entirely unprotected by any fence, is an old well in a vacant lot. Some days ago this hole was covered over with a few rotten sticks and rubbish with some dirt sprinkled on top, making the hole look solid. Somebody stepped off the sidewalk last night, and nearly fell into the hole, as the temporary covering gave way. The place should be filled up.

Frozen for Transport.

Two large salmon with a total weight of thirty-two pounds have been frozen into a large block of ice at Kelly's ice works, and the fish will be shipped to Toronto by to-morrow morning's steamer. Along with the salmon are a dozen fine oolachans and some fine boquets of flowers. The whole look life-like in the crystal prison, and will arrive at their place of destination in as fresh a state as when first taken in hand by the icemen who have so cunningly preserved these easily perishable articles.

Naval Notes.

The flagship Swiftsure, Nymphe, Daphne and Espeigle arrived at Callao on the 12th April.

H.M. ship Basilisk is fitting out at Plymouth to relieve the Acorn on the Pacific station. She is a sister ship of the Barracouta, which is 1150 tons and 2000 horse-power. She is much the same kind of a ship as the Espeigle, only of a more modern pattern.

The Icarus, Capt. Annesley, met with a slight accident on her arrival at Pernambuco. She was lying some 50 yards off the Recife breakwater. In shortening cable one morning one of her lines parted and she swung round with the tide against the breakwater, and touched on a ledge. She rested there for four hours but being on an even keel sustained no damage.

A Narrow Escape.

On Sunday evening an accident occurred at the First Narrows, Burrard Inlet, which nearly terminated fatally. Two young men named Rich and Bewster, who had been in the city only a few weeks and who knew nothing of the character of the waters, had gone over to Capilano during the afternoon, and after putting in a few hours up the road were returning to the city. They were rowing carelessly, occasionally stopping and turning the bow first one way and then the other. When nearly half way across, Rich, who was at the oars, stopped to light his pipe, and the boat getting into one of the whirlpools was spun round and overturned. Luckily both men caught the boat and got on her as she floated down, bottom up. Mr. Robert Hume and a companion, who saw the whole affair, went at once to the rescue and took the men off and rowed them to Brockton Point, where they put them ashore.

Political Notes.

The workingmen's opportunity will soon be at hand. How will they use it?

Mr. Musgrave, of Salt Spring Island, is spoken of as a candidate in the Islands. Capt. Robertson, of Moresby Island, is already on the war path.

The retreat of Mr. Davie from Victoria is generally referred to as a confession of defeat. If the Attorney-General considered that he had the slightest chance of success he would certainly contest the city. He was afraid and has run away.

The rumor is pretty well authenticated that Mr. Tolmie is to be sacrificed by the government wire pullers in Victoria. A somewhat respectable limb of the law, of this city is to be put forward as the "bearer" of the Robsonian flag; but it remains to be seen if Mr. Tolmie will tamely submit to the kicking. Under any circumstances the legal gentleman will have his work cut out.

At a meeting of the Government party on Monday evening, Hon. J. H. Turner, Simeon Duck, Wm. Dalby and Capt. J. Irving, were chosen as candidates to contest this city at the general election. Mr. Theo. Davie, Attorney-General, in the now defunct government, afraid of defeat, was not nominated. Mr. Wm. Lormier, who had announced himself privately as a candidate was induced (we will not say how) to renounce his "claims." The ticket, on the whole, is a fairly good one, and undoubtedly will receive strength from the presence thereon of the name of Capt. Irving, who, although an untried politician and inexperienced in statecraft, is popular among his friends. It is somewhat surprising, however, to find his name on a ticket in the interest of a government led by Hon. John Robson, but politics make strange bedfellows. Mr. Dalby is also worthy of a better fate, but Robsonians ambo, let them all be buried in a common grave.

The popular Cigarette is Sweet Caporal.

Microbe Killers on sale at Daley's 111 Government street.

Falk's Milwaukee Bock Beer on draught at the Royal Hotel.

Shaving outfits, pocket and table cutlery, scissors, etc., in large variety at M. & H. Fox, 78 Government street.

Pendray's extract of soap is a wonderful washing powder—away above anything of the kind in this market. Encourage home industry.

Aspinall's Enamel for renovating and beautifying everything (150 colors). No house should be without it. 50 cts. per tin. Adderley, 115 Government St.

Balfour's Land Bill.

As new light is being shed on the Irish land question it is made to appear that the landlords are not so undeserving of sympathy as their opponents would have the world believe. The fact that this light is being shed by Truth, a determined partisan of the tenants, adds to its credibility. The Act, it says (Balfour's) is not for the benefit of Irish landlords but for the benefit of English mortgagees. The greater portion of Irish estates are mortgaged. The fall in their value has rendered it impossible for the mortgagees either to sell them at a price to cover the advance, or to obtain full interest on the loan. The Irish landlord would get absolutely nothing by selling. All would go to the mortgagees. The Irish landlords are beginning to see this, and appear to be as little in favor of the bill as the rest of their countrymen. Under these conditions, it is no wonder that the landlords should object to have no alternative but that of submitting to spoliation for the benefit of their tenants or beggary for the satisfaction of their creditors. It should also be noted that nearly all these estates are charged with jointures and other encumbrances imposed in more prosperous times but now under reduced values unpayable. This land question would, therefore, appear to be more economical in its nature than political and correspondingly vastly more difficult of equitable solution.

The only hand-made Cigarettes are Kinney Bros. Sweet Caporals.

J. C. Smith, chimney sweep, 34 Collinson street opposite St. Joseph's hospital, or orders may be left at Irving's shoe store, 90 Yates street.

Never Here Before.

Some of the most unique designs in spring cloth, for gentlemen's wear. New line of spring suitings, displayed for first time in Victoria by Campbell & Simpkins, the fashionable Government street Tailors.

Use Pendray's Crescent stove polish for a "black shine." It simply beats all. Ask your grocer for it.

"Lincrusta Walton," the most popular of all wall decorations at John Weller's 51 to 55 Fort street.

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Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—*U. S. Government Report, Aug. 17, 1889.*

ALL ENGLISHMEN

INTERESTED IN FORMING A LODGE OF the SONS OF ENGLAND BENEFIT SOCIETY are invited to attend a meeting to be held in the SIR WILLIAM WALLACE HALL on Thursday evening next, 8th inst.

REV. H. P. HOBSON, District Deputy.

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ART NOTICE.

Beware of all Misrepresentations.

PERSONS REQUIRING ANY Work of Art done will save time, money and annoyance by calling at the Art Reception Fruit Store, No. 111 Government street, for the best work of art of all kinds ever produced by any artist on the Pacific coast. Mr. G. G. Bigger is general agent for house and has no sub-agents. All work done must be taken by himself, or left at above address. Beware of all frauds and daubs of inferior art. m3

CLEARING SALE.

A few days ago we advertised a clearing sale of the remaining portion of our stock saved from the recent fire, to make room for extensive alterations, and for the large stock personally selected by our Mr. Hastie in the Eastern markets. To effect this we had to make big reductions. We are glad to say our efforts are meeting with success. We have been crowded for Carpets, Linoleums and Oilcloths. We have a few high class Parlor and Bedroom Suites that we will sell at the price of common goods. Do not miss the chance of securing first-class goods at such low prices. Give us a call, as the whole must be cleared out.

JAMES HASTIE & CO.,

62 GOVERNMENT ST.

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ESTATE OF F. H. ROBSON

Of Kamloops,

IN LIQUIDATION.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to Thursday, the 15th day of May, for the purchase of the following undermentioned property belonging to the above estate, viz:—

1st.—Stock of merchandise and furniture in store, a complete list of which can be seen at the office of the undersigned, or on the premises at Kamloops.

2nd.—Store building, including fixtures, and lot upon which it is situated, being Lot 8, Block 30, town of Kamloops.

3rd.—For corner lot in Block 4, 100 ft. x 236 ft. fronting on three streets, with frontage of 236 feet on First Avenue, Kamloops.

A separate tender is requested for each of the properties enumerated.

For further information apply to the undersigned, or to Mr. W. C. Martin, at present in charge of the premises.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. P. RITHET,

Assignee for the estate.

Victoria, B. C., 21st April, 1890. ap23d

SEE OUR SPRING STOCK OF SHOES.

Profuse in Novelties. Great in Assortment.

Variegated in Colors. To suit the most fastidious.

Unapproachable in Prices.

UNQUESTIONABLY THE FINEST LINE EVER SHELVED IN A FIRST-CLASS BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

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Remember that every dollar spent with us gets the most a dollar can buy.

BOOTS AND SHOES MADE TO ORDER IN EVERY STYLE. REPAIRING ON SHORT NOTICE.

THE WESTSIDE,

GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

We believe Truth is the Corner Stone

To-day of permanently profitable advertising. Whatever statements are made must be backed up by merit.

It is useless to say we have goods at such and such a price unless we really have them.

It is no good to say they are cheap unless we are sure such is the fact.

The experience gained during a long period in the Dry Goods business, together with ample facilities, enables us to sell first-class goods as low, if not lower, than any other house (we make no exception whatever).

We are convinced that our stock for the Spring exceeds any heretofore offered, and, confident of our ability to give satisfaction, we respectfully solicit your patronage.

J. HUTCHESON & CO.

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SILKS AND DRESS GOODS.

Boucets, Faille Francaise, and Lyons Cashmere, Merveilleux, Moire, Satin Luxor, Liberty, and Pongee Silks. A superb line of beautiful goods, extra good value.

About 200 FRENCH DRESS PATTERNS, (no two alike), all shades and designs, manufactured for and strictly confined to ourselves. We believe these to be the very choicest goods that will be exhibited in Victoria this Spring.

Henriettas, Cashmeres, and Cashmere des Indes, noted for fineness of finish, durability of wear, and brilliancy of dye.

CHALLES, PERCALLES, AND CHAMBREYS,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

With colored Embroidery to match.

Mourning Materials & Crapes

A SPECIALTY.

THE WESTSIDE.

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By Express TO-DAY we received Spring assortment of the celebrated Alexandre Napoleon Kid Gloves, also 98 dozen of the

"WESTSIDE GLOVE."

This beautiful Mateze X glove is fully guaranteed and sold at regular price, viz: $1.25 for four and $1.50 for six-button. Musquetaire Suede in Evening and Tan shades only, from four to sixteen button length.

Pure silk mitts and gloves in good assortment. Taffeta and Lisle in great variety.

HOSIERY.

Ladies' Silk and span silk, Lisle Thread, Balbriggan, Cashmere, etc. In these goods we handle J. & R. Morley's best makes.

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16 ounces to the lb. Berlin, Saxony and Beehive, all at 10c. per oz.

DRESS AND MANTLE MAKING.

MISS HIND, of London, England, and late of W. A. MURRAY & Co.'s, Toronto, has charge of our Dressmaking department.

Estimates given and price of garment fixed when order is taken.

JACKETS, MANTLES, JERSEYS,

DOLMANETTES, BLOUSES, &c.

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House and Lot,	Fernwood Road
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We have some good water front lots and acre property in Port Angeles that can be had very cheaply. Call and see our list and prices.

We will sell you a lot and loan you the money to build a house upon it.

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DECEASED.

CREDITORS ARE REQUESTED TO SEND in their claims, and debtors to pay their accounts forthwith to J. Burns, No. 5 Trounce Avenue.

GEORGE WALKER, JAMES BURNS, } Executors.

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SONS OF ST. GEORGE.

THE INSTITUTION OF MILTON LODGE, Sons of St. George, will take place on

Wednesday the 7th, at 7:30 p.m.,

at Sir William Wallace Hall, Broad street. All Englishmen desirous of joining as charter members will present themselves on that night.

By order, PRESIDENT.

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OYSTERS.

GOOD FRESH NATIVE OYSTERS BY the sack. Orders addressed to JOHN BRENTON, Railway Crossing, Oyster Harbor, will receive prompt attention.

JNO. BRENTON.

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BOURCHIER, CROFT & MALLETTE, REAL ESTATE BROKERS.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Concert and drama of the Y. M. I. in Philharmonic Hall to-night.

H. Mansell talks to the public on the seventh page of this issue.

The B. C. Pioneer Society holds its regular monthly meeting to-night.

Ten Chinese, ex steamer Batavia, were among the arrivals last night.

A new sidewalk is to be laid on Government street, between Fort and Bastion.

Messrs. Van Volkenburgh Bros. received 45 head of cattle last evening by the Kingston.

The board of aldermen will meet at the City Hall to-night for the transaction of civic business.

The first lodge of the Sons of St. George, to be known as Milton Lodge, will be instituted to-night.

The contract for building the Colonial Hotel has been let to Mr. A. J. Smith, who will commence work at once.

The Duke and Duchess of Connaught will travel in Sir George Stephen's private car, the suite following in the official car.

A complete edition of Chambers' Encyclopedia is to be presented to the Pioneer Society by His Honor the Lieut. Governor.

A mighty wail is going up in Vancouver in consequence of the dust nuisance but the street sprinkler makes no appearance.

A workman at the Albion Iron Works had his hand crushed yesterday afternoon, and had to have one of his fingers amputated.

The steamer Batavia is to leave Vancouver for the Orient on Friday, and the work of unloading her is going on night and day.

The part of the Viscompte in Ernuinle last night was taken by Mr. A. E. Pauline, Mr. F. H. Lang being incapacitated by a severe cold.

The Gorge Road between Garballey street and the city boundary, will be closed for repairs to the bridge on and after to-morrow the 7th inst.

Contracts made for supplying families with ice at reasonable rates by the British Columbia Ice Co. Telephone call 81, office 22 Yates street. 7-5.1m.

In a lively row that occurred on Johnson street yesterday afternoon, a private nightwatchman was badly cut in the face with a stone thrown by one of the fighters.

Exertions are being made to secure the payment of the wages in arrears of the Japanese sailors of the schooner Penelope, who were locked up for mutiny the other day.

The rice mill has been stopped for a few days while some of the machines are being shifted in the mill during the alterations and additions. The mill will start again in a day or two.

The Gray vs. Johnson case which was to have been heard to-day in the Supreme Court, has been indefinitely postponed. Already some seven or eight juries have been summoned to try it.

"Hardwarker's" letter was thrown away because it did not contain the name of the writer. Persons who write letters to the press, and refuse to sign their names, do not expect to see them in print.

A beautiful Scotch granite monument has arrived from the east, which is to be erected at Ross Bay Cemetery in memory of the late F. Barnard, Esq. The shaft, with its pedestal, will be over twelve feet in height.

Greenwich time was received in the coast cities on Sunday by the C. P. R. telegraph lines. Capt. Peele reports the difference between New Westminster and Greenwich to be 8 hours, 11 minutes and 32 seconds.

Mr. H. McCutcheon, of the Kamloops Sentinel is of a sanguine disposition. He told a Winnipeg reporter that he was "sanguine" that the the time was not far off when Kamloops would be selected as the provincial capital.

A heap of rubbish on the site of the new Canadian Western Hotel was set on fire last night, and burned to clear it out of the way. A detachment of the fire department under the direction of the chief engineer, were on watch to see that no damage was done.

The police have been unable to serve the notorious Hattie Spaulding with the summons taken out last Saturday, as she could not be found at her usual place of abode. It is understood she has gone from the city, for the city's wellfare, and if she will only keep away for good, all the better.

A resident of Chatham street complains that the legions of worthless curs that fanvest that neighborhood are not gathered in by the pound keeper. He says he has complained to the aldermen about it, but it has no more effect than a blister on a wooden leg, and he therefore appeals to the press to redress the nuisance.

The funeral of the late Donald McKenzie, of Mill Mountain Farm, took place yesterday afternoon, and was very largely attended by residents from all parts of the surrounding country. The Rev. D. McRae officiated. The following were the pallbearers: Wm. McDowell, D. McArthur, D. McDonald, R. Bray, R. McCallum, F. O'Neill.

By Sunday's train from Vancouver was a little girl bound for Massachusetts with a Masonic emblem around her neck as an intimation to the brethren of the mystic tie that she needed the care and guidance of those who met her on the way. Judging by the arrangements made for her safety and comfort, she will reach her destination as securely as if she had her own parents to attend her.

Ask your tobacconist for Sweet Caporal.

"Tales of Western Life."

By H. R. A. Pocock, is for sale by Gill & Co., on Broad street, at 25 cents.

Fence Posts.

Split cedar fence posts for sale. Apply to A. C. Howe, corner of Discovery and Government streets or to Scotch Bakery Douglas street.

Thermometer at Kellogg's.

Average temperature to-day.....71 ½

Japanese Goods.

See Marshant, Futcher & Co.'s announcement in to-morrow,s issue.

Water Claims.

The Colquitz water claimants are conferring with the water committee and water commissioner this afternoon in regard to the claims of the former.

Rehearsal.

Prof. Sharpe requests all who take part in the coming "Ladies Aid Y.M.C.A." concert, to meet at Y.M.C.A. rooms, at 8 sharp. The concert takes place on the 21st of the month, at Philharmonic Hall. The programme will be definitely settled to-night. Everybody is requested to come and be on time as practise will commenced at 8 o'clock.

Jubilee Hospital.

The Vancouver World says: "As there are some $20,000 of public money in this institution it is to be hoped Vancouver's traders will have a chance of tendering for the work of furnishing it." The World will observe that sealed tenders were called for through the newspapers for one week, so that if the Vancouver traders have not tendered, who shall be held blameable?

Price List of Custom Work.

Men's corduroy pants, $3; men's tweed pants, $3; men's jean pants, $1.50; boys' corduroy pants, $2.25; boys' tweed pants, $2.25; boys' jean pants, $1.25; youths' short corduroy pants, $1.25; youths' short tweed pants, $1.25 youths short jean pants, 75 cents. Underclothing, shirts overalls and jumpers made at two hours notice without extra charge. Russell, McDonald & Co., opposite the Iron church, Douglas steet.

A Watery Grave.

As Officer Hunter of the city police force was rowing up the harbor yesterday afternoon, he noticed a box containing the body of a very young infant, which he handed over to the Provincial officers. The body was badly decomposed, and it is presumed that it belongs to some Indians, who very probably left it on the beach somewhere to be carried out by the tide. Dr. Morrison held an inquest on it this afternoon when a verdict of found dead was found.

Business Change.

Among the numerous business changes which have occurred in Victoria during the past few days was the severing of connection with Messrs. H. Shorey & Co., Montreal, of Mr. J. L. Beckwith, who has taken the agency of Mann, Byars & Co., Glasgow. This is one of the largest dry goods establishments in the United Kingdom. Mr. Beckwith will make his headquarters in Victoria and, in addition to the business of the above firm, will make semi-annual trips through the Pacific States in the interest of M. Fisher, Sons & Co., New York.

Police Notes.

The first case called in the police court this morning was that of J. Emanuel charged with assaulting an Indian woman. The prisoner made a statement and his honor decided to send him to jail for two months. J. Johnson, on remand, charged with stealing a watch from P. Melrose, was called and the prosecutor, who appeared in court yesterday morning under the influence of liquor, came to the court in a worse state than ever this morning, and the case was further remanded.

The Great Convention.

The call for the Sixth International Sunday School Convention, to be held in Pittsburg, Pa., on the 24th, 25th, 26th and 27th of June, has been issued. The information is furnished that a railroad rate of one and one-third fare for all delegates to the convention is being arranged, and a rate of one fare for the round trip, with fair prospects of success. Three points have been designated in the west as railroad centres where the delegates may unite, viz: Louisville, St. Louis, and Chicago. All delegates who prefer to go by the way of Louisville and unite with the delegates there, will address Miss Mamie F. Huber, 652 E. Broadway, Louisville, Ky. Those who wish to go by the way of St. Louis will address Mr. D. R. Wolfe, Laclede Building, St. Louis, Mo., and those by the way of Chicago will address Mr. L. B. Hibbard, room 9, 19 Washington street, Chicago, Ill.

Honesty.

Yesterday afternoon, Mr. C. W. Minor, watchmaker at Pennock & Clayton's, lost a pocket-book containing nearly $75 in money, a check for $30, several valuable papers and receipts. Mr. Minor felt considerably annoyed at the loss, and no trace of the missing article appearing during the afternoon, he gave up all hope of ever seeing it again. He was agreeably surprised this morning to learn that the pocket-book had been picked up in the lobby of the postoffice by Mr. J. W. Thomson, late of Toronto, who left the same with one of the clerks, to be delivered to the owner. The honesty of the finder is creditable, and shows that the milk of human kindness is not altogether dried up. Mr. Minor was desirous of rewarding Mr Thomson, but the latter declined to accept payment for what he considered a mere matter of kindness. Some recognition of the affair will be made, however.

Largest variety of clothing in Victoria, Gilmore & McCandless. *

A fit of the "blues" dispelled by inhaling a Sweet Caporal.

Take your spring suits to John T. Pierro to be cleaned and repaired. He makes it a specialty. 96 Yates St. *

Ice Cream made to order and delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 161. New Erg and Bakery, Young Bros., No. 116 and 118 Government street. *

The ladies of Victoria will find it to their interest to examine my stock of white linen before purchasing elsewhere Stamping done. Mrs. Hendry, 37 View street. *

NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front—General Marine News.

The Maude brought down a load of coal yesterday.

The City of Topeka is due to-morrow bound for Alaska.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—Arrived, steamer Walla Walla, Victoria.

The steamer Daisy arrived over last evening with a scow load of lumber.

The steamer North Star is on the the beach being cleaned and painted.

The Rainbow will leave to-morrow morning on her first trip over the new route.

The steamer Rainbow is loading at Spratt's wharf for Bute Inlet and way ports.

The steamer Badger is on the beach above the swing bridge having repairs effected.

The steamer Maude is to take north a considerable quantity of freight left by the Sardonyx.

A large gang of men are at work on the steamer Rithet, caulkers, boilermakers, carpenters and painters being busy on board her.

Work on the cabins of the new tug Mystery is being rapidly proceeded with. Her engines are already in place, but her boiler is not yet ready.

The steamer Hope left for a boom of logs up the coast last evening, but owing to some slight disarrangement to her machinery, she put back to port. Repairs were effected and she proceeded to sea at noon to day.

Work on the American steamer Edith is being rapidly pushed. Her cylinders are being repaired and considerable other work done, and when she leaves the repairers hands she will be virtually new in the engine room.

SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and Elsewhere.

At a meeting of the Victoria Junior Lacrosse Club held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall last evening, the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: J. W. Grier, President; W. G. Ledingham, Vice-President; J. G. Miller, Secretary; Geo. Tite, Treasurer; C. Cullen, Captain, and F. C. Smith, J. C. McNeil and C. Moore, Committee of Management. Blue and white were chosen as the colors for the club, and the boys will practice on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. A challenge will be sent to the Vancouver junior club to play a match here during the celebration, and no doubt a good game will be the outcome.

WHAT MULDOON SAYS.

William Muldoon, when asked if he would train Sullivan for his match with Jackson, said: "I cannot say at present. I will not take him unless I can win with him, and I want to find out if he can be got into condition. There can be no question that Sullivan has been drinking some, but I have hopes that he will be all right. If I take him I shall insist on the same arrangement as in the previous fight, namely, that I shall have absolute control of him namely his hours, food, etc., and dictating who shall see him and who not. I like Sullivan, but I don't like the crowd that follows him, and that element must be got rid of. I would like to train him at my farm in New York state, where I trained him before, but I cannot do so, as a trip to the coast would upset him. If I train him I shall go to California and get quarters in some secluded spot near San Francisco and fit him there. If I take charge of him he will go into the ring in good condition, you can depend on it.

WON'T BACK CORBETT.

A dispatch from New York says that Jas. Wakely, a well known sporting man, stated last night that Phil. Dwyer has told him that the recent published statement that Dwyer would put up any amount up to $50,000 on Corbett in a fight with Sullivan was absolutely false, and that he had had said nothing of the kind. Wakely thinks well of Joe McAuliffe, and thinks he would stand a better show against Sullivan than any of the other heavy weights.

UMPIRE CHOSEN.

The great game of baseball, to be payed by the Chinese nines to-morrow, is, it is understood to be umpired by J. A. Rathom, whose knowledge of Chinese makes him well adapted for the position, he being as conversant with that Oriental language as he is with the mysteries of baseball.

TO BE BROKEN UP.

The Steamer Wilson G. Hunt to be Stripped and Destroyed.

An old landmark is soon to be removed from the upper harbor, the steamer Wilson G. Hunt, which has so long been lying on the beach having been purchased by Mr. Levi Cohen, a San Francisco speculator, who believes he can make money out of the old boat by breaking her up and selling her machinery, iron and brass work, to say nothing of the considerable amount of copper bolts in her hull, all of which will be taken out. A gang of workmen were this morning busily engaged on board the steamer and the sound of axe and sledge hammer resounds as her stout timbers are torn asunder.

The breaking up of the Hunt brings up a few scraps of past history. The vessel was built in New York in 1849 by William Collier, for Wilson G. Hunt, for whom she was named. Her tonnage is 350, her style of build being that of the typical American river boat. Her engine was a single cylinder, 36 inches in diameter, with a stroke of 9 feet, and of an obsolete style known as "steeple," with a nominal horse power of 150. It was built by Rodman & Co. of New York.

The Hunt ran for a short time on the Hudson River, and was in the early 50ties brought out to California by her owner, and ran for some time on the Sacramento river, making a mint of money, for those were the palmy days of steamboating. After she had done considerable work on the Sacramento, and made more money, as the saying is, than she could carry, she was sold to T. L. Briggs of this city who, on the 20th of April, 1878, became her owner and registered her as a British vessel. At that time the Hunt was commanded by Capt. Jno. Irving, now manager of the C.P.N. Co., but at that time was master of a steamer which was purchased to run opposition to the company he now manages.

In February of 1881, Mr. Briggs sold out to the late Joseph Spratt, who ran the Hunt with success for nearly three years, he in turn selling her to the C. P. N. Co. on the 7th of December in 1883. Since that time the steamer has never turned a wheel, the C. P. N. Co. having bought her to lay up, and for the past six years the Hunt has been in the "bone yard," and although deserted and uncared for, retained evidences of good construction and her clean sharp lines proclaimed that she had been in days gone by a "flyer." She is now to be broken up, and one of the familiar landmarks, or rather sea marks of Victoria harbor, will soon be a thing of the past, and only exist as a recollection.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Dr. McGuigan is in town.

Alex. Wilson is on the Mainland.

J. Lenz is around again after a severe illness.

C. C. Hobson, of Vancouver is at the Driard.

Mrs. Geo. Harrison left this morning for England.

G. C. Finney and wife, of Seattle, are in town on a visit.

W. C. Bean and wife, of Omaha, are registered at the Driard.

A. R. Milne, collector of customs, returned last evening from a visit to the east.

Geo. Reilly, of the Shuswap and Okanagan Railway, returned from the Mainland last night.

Dr. De. W. Smith and wife, of Westminster, and Dr. and Mrs. Lefevre, of Vancouver, are in the city.

Hon. John Robson has gone "hunting" as far east as Kootenay. He will probably avoid New Westminster District, where the game is at present "wild."

Mr. A. Caswell, lately of Brockville, Ont., has arrived at Vancouver to take the position just vacated by Mr. Carson as travelling agent of the C. P. R. on the coast.

Capt. Linton, for many years a familiar figure on Fort street, and a well-known admiral of comic opera, has returned from Vancouver. "When the swallows homeward fly," etc.

M. King returned from Vancouver last night, where he has been attending to the shipment of supplies to King & Casey's logging camp. Ninety tons of feed, groceries, etc., were taken up by the steamer Tepic and a scow which was chartered for the purpose. Three oxen were also sent to the camp. Mr. King says that a great deal of lumber will be cut this summer.

COLLECTOR MILNE'S RETURN.

Again in Victoria After Several Weeks' Absence in the East.

Collector A. R. Milne, who has been absent for several weeks in the east, returned to Victoria last evening. Mr. Milne looks very well after his trip, although while away he had a very severe cold, so severe that it was more like an attack of la grippe. He said to-day to a TIMES reporter that his trip was a very pleasant one, and he had been able, for the first time in twenty-five years to re-visit the friends and places of his youth. He found, of course, great changes in the appearance of things, and evidently would not care to again reside permanently east of the Rockies.

One thing Mr. Milne says he noticed particularly while in Montreal and Ottawa, and that was that the daily papers there had no telegraphic news whatever of British Columbia. Not only was the City of Victoria entirely ignored, but the whole province as well, none of the large eastern dailies giving any news whatever of this part of the world, and had it not been for week old copies of THE TIMES, which he could consult at the Parliamentary reading room, no knowledge of the affairs of British Columbia would have been possible. He found it different in Winnipeg, however, the Free Press of that city giving a very full summary of British Columbia events in its telegraphic columns.

Mr. Milne's trip was partly one of pleasure and partly of business, and in both particulars the object in view was achieved. He found the several British Columbia members of the House at Ottawa to be very painstaking and ready to assist in every way possible the furtherance of such business as he had to transact through them, and there is no doubt but what Mr. Milne's visit east will result in the expenditure of considerable government money at this port ere the year is out in improvements to the department buildings, an improvement certainly very much needed.

Monkeys for the Park.

Mr. A. Townsley, chief engineer at the Rice Mills, has a cage of five monkeys, all of which are possessed of that extremely lively disposition which obtains as a rule with the monkey tribe. Mr. Townsley thinks a deal of his comical pets, and has them all trained so that they behave in a manner creditable to their teacher and themselves. Three of the monkeys Mr. Townsley intends to give to the Park committee at an early date, and then the children of Victoria will have a chance to laugh at the quaint antics of a family of these agile caricatures of man.

Mr. Maurice Law, who went to Mexico last winter, also intends to send up a specimen of the large ape to be procured there, which will on arrival be placed in the park.

Noted for their purity and excellence —Sweet Caporals.

Falks' Milwaukee Bock Beer on draught at the Jubilee Saloon. *

Dominion Subsidies.

The supplementary estimates for the next fiscal year were presented last evening. British Columbia will receive: Vancouver postoffice and custom house, $30,000; Victoria drill hall, the city furnishing the site free of cost, $10,000; Victoria postoffice improvement, $800; warehouse accommodation at Victoria, customs and inland revenue purposes, $1200; Victoria Dominion building, vault in Assistant Receiver General's office, $2500; Victoria military buildings, artillery barracks, $16,000; Victoria guard room and gateway, $2,700; Victoria examination warehouse, $6000; Columbia river improvement, between the mouth of the Kootenay river and the international boundary, $6000; Nicomeckle river, $500; Skeena river, $2000; new dredging plant for the Columbia, $5000; reconstruction of the telegraph line from Ashcroft to Barkerville, $12,000; new steamer to replace the Sir James Douglas, to be purchased at a cost of $70,000; Indian school on Cormorant Island, Alert Bay, $2700; Kootenay industrial school, $2500; W. H. Robertson, trade instructor at the Metlakahtla Indian school, $1300; Assistant Inspector of weights and measures at Victoria, to be appointed, salary, $600; Miss Harriet Fraser receives an annuity of $250, and Roderick Fraser $150, in recognition of the services of their father in exploring British Columbia.

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PASSENGERS.

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Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—Mrs Stevens, C Heinish, A G McDonald, T A Macleod and wife, Sam Johnson, A Williams, W C Beore and wife, S S McMoney, Jas Hay, Mrs Davie, A Fletcher, M Graves, Mrs S Hanbr, Dr Phillips and wife, W S Joyce, A F Robinson, G C Stokes, Jno Thompson, Wm O'Brien, Chas Whyte, J Baumgarten, O F Sands, J Stansfield and wife, L M Kastens, J S Joyce, Mrs A F Hoskinson, Chas Sutton, J Goff, H Naylor, G C Chaney and wife, Mrs Decker, J H Franck and wife, F Mellender, Nellie Smith, P Denerson, J H Harvester.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—S Sabory, Mrs Russell, Dr J M LeFevre, J H Cambie, J Fox, A R Milne, Geo Riley, John Lyons, J Carscaden, H Kubbs, S Siddell, Mrs Lyons, E Tuncor, Wm TreZewey, Thos Allen, Mrs Cambie, Dr McGuigan, Simon Leiser, C A Scholley, Agnes Lyons, Thos Hopper, Mrs Ker, M King, Mrs Russell, A J Smith, Jno Dougall, R Shaw, Mrs LeFevre, Mrs Capt Cox, J Linton, W Patterson, W S Duncan, Mrs McNaughton, D McMillan.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer City of Kingston from the Sound—Van Volkenburgh & Co, J C Meeler, Roper & Roper, P McQuade, Langley & Co, Marvin & Tilton, J H Todd, C M Tuhe & Co, Albion I Works, C B Lockhart, F B Benson & Co, G L Simpson.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—Kong Tye & Co, King Tai Lung, Leidingston Bros, Thos Dosey, T W Fletcher, J A Smith, Lai Hop, Tai Soong, W H Phillips, Simon Leiser, Hamilton Powder Co, R T Williams, Dom Exp Co, Lai Yuen, Lung Fook Kuen, Order, Hip Tuck Lung, C Stokes & Co, J C Devlin, Langue & Gordon, S J Pitts, Kirschberg & Londsberg, F H Osgood.

DIED.

DORMAN—In this city, on the 7th instant, Jane Elizabeth, only daughter of W. H. and J. H. Dorman, aged nine months.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Thursday) at 2 p.m., from the family residence, 61 Superior street. Friends are invited to attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED WISHES TO EXPress his warmest thanks and appreciation of the generous support given by the citizens of Victoria to the several performances of Erminie by the Victoria Amateur Operatic Society, but more especially on the occasion of last evening's presentation. He would also express his sincere obligations to the ladies and gentlemen of the combination, one and all, for the warmly unanimous spirit in which they worked to make last evening's performance a success.

E. PFERDNER.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situated in Coast District, B. C.

First commencing at the meander post of Section 6, Township 2, on the shore of Zum-it-la Bay; Work Channel; thence west 31.50 chains; thence north 60 chains, to shore of Zum-it-la Bay; thence south easterly, along the shore to point of commencement, being the S. W. fractional part of the N. E. ¼ section 1 Township 1, and containing 170 acres.

Second the S. W. fractional part of the S. W. ¼ of Section 6, Township 2 on Zum-it-la Bay, Work Channel and containing about 30 acres.

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Victoria, B. C., May 6th 1890. my6-2m

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